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The New York Times.

THE WEATHER
Cloudy today, much colder in afternoon and night; Thursday, fair, colder.
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HOME FOLKS GREET PERSHING AS 'JOHN' IN LACLEDE VISIT

General Hugs and Kisses Former Pupils and Friends of Boyhood.

DINNER IN HIS OLD HOME

He Receives a Loving Cup, a Gold Medal, and Two Red Apples.

PAYS TRIBUTE TO PARENTS

Ascribes to Their Teachings and Example the Patriotism and Faith Which Imbued Him.

Special to The New York Times.

LACLEDE, Mo., Dec. 23.—General John J. Pershing was stormed with hugs and kisses by the companions of his childhood when he stepped from the train here at noon today. Governor Gardner and his party had not arrived and the General at first wished to remain in his car until the Governor's party arrived.

But the waiting crowd, which had grown to 5,000, would have none of this, and he finally yielded and came out.

"We'll walk up to the old home," he said to Mayor Allen, head of the Reception Committee. As he looked into the crowd he saw scores of faces that he knew.

"Hello, Mattie; God bless you," he cried to a woman. She pushed her way to the front and Pershing kissed her, as tears trickled down her face. She was one of his pupils when Pershing taught the county school in Laclede.

An impromptu reception at once began as the General slowly made his way through the gathering. Warren Pershing and his sister, Miss May Pershing, followed. "Hello, Sallie," the General called to a pretty woman who had pushed to the front, and he kissed her, too. Then the welcome began, according to real Laclede custom.

Clay C. Biggers, attorney and boyhood chum of Pershing, was one of the first to greet him.

"John," he exclaimed.

"Clay, boy, howdy," answered Pershing.

The crowd cheered.

Then Pershing spied Mrs. Martha Packer of Forker, his cousin. "Martha," he said, encircling her shoulder, "it's good to see you." In a spirit of boyishness he pulled her hat down over her ears.

Mayor Allen led the way to a waiting automobile but the General waved it aside.

"Let's walk," he said. All the while he was laughing, talking, and shaking hands as the crowd moved with him.

"Walt," said the General, pausing, "there's old Charlie Hendrickson! Charlie, how are you?" and they clasped hands.

Senator Brownlee was introduced. "And how is Kate?" Pershing inquired, referring to Dr. Kate Brownlee.

A man succeeded in shoving through the crowd.

"Alex Brinkley, I'm plumb glad to see you! I'll bet you own most of the west end of the county now," said Pershing.

"Where you all going, John?" a tall man asked as he reached Pershing's side.

"Hello, George Young, I'm just trying to get home, but I don't think I'll ever make it."

Time after time the General paused for the benefit of the battery of cameras.

"This frightens me," he laughed. "I have not been photographed recently."

Mayor Allen pointed out an old building. "That's where Card's harness shop was located," he said.

"Sure enough," agreed Pershing. "What became of the old scalawag?"

"He moved to South Missouri."

"Serves him right," the General laughed.

When the procession halted in front of the Pershing home the crowd surrounded the house. Pershing gazed upward to the spreading branches of a buckeye tree.

"Many's the buckeye I pulled from you, old tree," he said.

He walked up the steps to the front porch. There was a tear in his eye and his chin quivered as he stood on the veranda. He turned to the crowd.

"Friends," he said, "welcome to my residence."

Soon after his arrival he sat down to a turkey dinner. It was a triumph of the art of cookery. It was such a dinner as "Johnny" sat down to many a Christmas of the past, when he had to wait for the second table. From home grown celery to hot mince pie—pie that had something in it besides mincemeat, —it was complete.

Twenty-one persons were seated at the two tables, sixteen of whom were boyhood friends of the General. Governor Gardner and the Rev. Dr. Burris A. Jenkins of Kansas City were the only guests who did not know Pershing when he lived in Laclede. Mayor Allen sat at the head of the table and General Pershing sat at his right. Other guests were H. C. Lomax of Laclede, Mrs. John Crowder of Milan, Miss Lulu Pelt of Quincy, J. T. Hamilton of Laclede, the Rev. Dr. Layton of Laclede, C. C. Bigger, Harry Markham of Brookfield, A. J. Caywood of Laclede, Senator Warren Brownlee of Brookfield, Colonel George W. Martin of Brookfield, J. A. Crowder of Milan, Charles Spurgeon of Brookfield, Mrs. George W. Thompson

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WINE FOR BREAKFAST
Sanford Farm Sausage. Same flavor and quality you used to get. Made at the Farm at Southborough, Mass. All Dealers.—Advt.

Christmas Mail Breaks Record; 25 Per Cent. Above 1918

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Reports to the Post Office Department from many parts of the country today showed the Christmas mail to be 25 per cent. heavier this year than last, when it reached the greatest volume known up to that time.

No congestion on trains or in Post Offices was reported. One office reported an increase of 135 per cent.

ROBBERS BATTLE FOR $100,000 GEMS

Beat Knickerbocker Hotel Guest, Scale Walls of Building and Are Captured.

SQUIRT TABASCO AT POLICE

Sought Jewels Just Bought by Texas Oil Producer—Caruso Slept Through It All.

In a burglar chase that far outdid the realistic thrills of the motion pictures two Spaniards fled, human fly fashion, down the outside walls of the Hotel Knickerbocker early yesterday morning after they had beaten a guest in trying to steal $100,000 worth of jewels from his room.

Exhibiting greater audacity than any thief heretofore encountered by the police in the so-called "crime wave," the burglars tried to fight off four patrolmen, armed with revolvers and nightsticks, by shooting tabasco sauce into their eyes with small squirt guns. Result: ambulances. Surgeons sewed up the burglars.

In the half light of dawn yesterday morning Patrolman Charles Frayler, who was standing near the Times Building at Forty-second Street and Broadway, saw two men running around the immense coping that girdles the Knickerbocker Hotel at the third floor. Apparently the men were in a hurry to reach the roof of the three-story building in Broadway directly behind the hotel.

Revolver in hand, the patrolman ran across the street and shouted to the men to go back into the hotel. They continued their course around the narrow ledge and Frayler, who is one of the crack shots of the Police Department, put down a barrage directly in front of the "human flies." Chips of bricks, gray stone and flattened bullets flew from the wall of the structure to the Broadway sidewalk.

Suddenly the burglar in the lead decided that it would be unsafe to go on. He turned on the ledge, thrust his foot through a heavy window, and disappeared into the building, followed by his companion. Showers of glass fell to the pavement below.

Scene Inside the Hotel.

The next scenes of this realistic flight were not seen by the crowds that had been attracted from Times Square and nearby streets by the shouting and the shooting, but the man who was inside that room when the window was smashed is ready to testify anywhere that his one scene was worthy of any "movie thriller." He managed to keep his name off the police records, but his experience is written boldly in the history of nightmares. This is what he said:

"I heard a glass palace tumble down. Cold winds from an ocean, with snow! I leaped from bed. A hurricane of cold rushed through a window. I was hurled to the floor by a figure that was feeling around in the dark for the door. I got up again. Another figure, like a typhoon, rushed through the room and I fell again. The door slammed. Then I awoke and ran into the hall. Two men were disappearing into the elevator shaft."

Before this scene in the third-floor room had been ended every exit of the hotel was covered by a policeman. Whistles brought them from all streets leading into Times Square.

Seizing the cables of the elevator shaft the human flies slid to the basement. There they opened the doors carefully and stole out into the grillroom on the Broadway side of the hotel to fill up their tabasco guns again—although they had a bottle of the blinding sauce in their pockets. It was in this room they were subdued by the long nightsticks of Patrolman Frayler and his companions.

Beaten By Spanish Robbers.

While the burglars were losing consciousness in the basement their victims in a suite on the fifth floor were just regaining their senses after a terrible beating by the Spaniards. They were Aloysius Broderick and his wife of Dallas, Texas. Broderick is Vice President of the Producers' Oil Company there and, although he maintans a home

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SIMS ATTACKS LIST OF NAVAL HONORS; REFUSES D.S.MEDAL

Admiral Complains That His Recommendations as Commander Were Not Followed.

DANIELS DEFENDS AWARDS

Explains That Preference Was Given to Men on Sea Duty Over Those at Posts Ashore.

DISPUTE TO GO TO CONGRESS

Admiral Asks an Opportunity to be Heard Again — Daniels Says More Awards Will Be Made.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—A letter written to Secretary Daniels by Admiral William S. Sims of the United States Navy, now President of the Naval War College at Newport, and who during the World War was in command of American naval forces in the naval war area, criticising the award of Distinguished Service Medals to naval officers and refusing to accept such a medal himself under the present circumstances, has brought to light a sharp division of opinion among navy men as to where the principal credit for the work of the fleets should go.

Admiral Sims complains that his recommendations as commander of the fleet overseas were not followed, mentioning particularly the work of his staff.

Among other things the Admiral asserts that "the commanding officer of a vessel that is sunk by a submarine should not receive the same reward as the commanding officer of a vessel which sinks a submarine." This is apparently a pointed reference to the action of Secretary Daniels in awarding a Distinguished Service Medal to Commander David W. Bagley, brother-in-law of Mr. Daniels, who was in command of the destroyer Jacob Jones when she was sunk by a German submarine.

Secretary Daniels gave out the Admiral's letter today, together with a reply which is in the form of a letter to Senator Page, Chairman of the Naval Affairs Committee. The Secretary's statement puts the controversy in the form of the old navy dispute over the relative value of sea duty and shore duty. Secretary Daniels declares that first place has been given to men in sea duty and in contact with the enemy. In the case of ships sunk by submarines the commander got the higher award where his conduct was meritorious.

A loophole for the settlement of the dispute is left by Secretary Daniels, who says that more Distinguished Service Medals will be awarded and that there is no time limit on recognition of distinguished services.

Sims Not Yet Officially Decorated.

Secretary Daniels said, in giving out the Sims letter, he did not care to discuss it at this time. He stated that the letter to Senator Page expressed his policy and that of the Department in the matter of the awards. He added that the Sims letter was under consideration and that Admiral Sims had not been officially notified that he was to receive this award.

The letter to Senator Page which Mr. Daniels gave out tonight, it was explained, is the same letter that was to have been submitted at the time that he sent to Senator Page the recommendations of the Knight Board on Awards and the Daniels changes in them. Secretary Daniels said that the letter from Admiral Sims would have consideration and that he would carefully study any letter from any Admiral, making recommendations as to change in the awards, or for other awards.

Mr. Daniels gave out a list of the nineteen officers on the staff of Admiral Sims, all of whom Admiral Sims had recommended for the D. S. M. in a letter dated Nov. 7, and compared these recommendations with the recommendations made by the Knight board and the Secretary's award. This list, as announced by Mr. Daniels, showed that the Knight board allowed only six of Admiral Sims's recommendations for Distinguished Service Medals, and that the board recommended that the others whom Admiral Sims had recommended for D. S. M.'s should be awarded Naval Crosses. The Daniels statement also shows that Secretary Daniels refused to award D. S. M.'s to three of the six officers to whom the Knight board was

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Fall of 2,000 Feet Kills Two Army Airmen in West

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Dec. 23.—Second Lieut. Herbert Tuchborne of Mount Vernon, N. Y., and Private Allister Lima of San Luis Obispo, Cal., were killed today at March Field, the army aviation field near here, when their airplane fell 2,000 feet.

Second Lieut. Herbert M. Tichborne enlisted in the army at the outbreak of the war, when a senior at Columbia University. In 1914 and 1915 he was in the 'Varsity crew. During the war he was in France almost two years. He was 25 years old.

HYLAN THREATENS TO ARREST HEDLEY

Mayor Will Go to Magistrate if He Finds Transit Strike Collusion, He Says.

DISAPPOINTED BY INQUIRY

Brooklyn Car Workers Not to Demand Wage Increase, Says Union Official.

Mayor Hylan, in a statement yesterday concerning the demands of employes of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company for increased wages, said that the next time he believed the people had been imposed upon by collusion between the company and its employes, he would have the entire matter investigated by a Magistrate. The inference was that he thinks he made a mistake in charging collusion between them last Summer, when a strike resulted in an increase of 25 per cent. in the wages of the men, and in having the matter placed in the hands of an Extraordinary Grand Jury, which is still investigating it. The Mayor's statement reads:

"I notice that Hedley of the Interborough and Connolly of the Brotherhood of Interborough employes, which organization is controlled by the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, are again active. I suppose they want the fare increased. This is the same Connolly and the same Hedley who last Summer wanted public officials to increase fares. When the public officials did not act, Connolly went to the brotherhood's meeting rooms, which were in a building controlled or owned by the Interborough, and called a strike over the Interborough's private telephone wires, and tied up the whole Interborough system, which inconvenienced hundreds of thousands of people.

Next Inquiry to be Public.

"I called the District Attorney's attention to their action, and the District Attorney called it to the attention of the Extraordinary Grand Jury several months ago. This investigation developed into the overshadowing crime. The traction interests, through their agents, are demanding a legislative investigation of public officials who are opposed to an increased fare.

"The next time I have reason to believe that the people have been imposed upon, the matter will be placed before a Magistrate where the entire proceedings can be made public. If any public utility corporation and their employes are allowed to act in a way which results in inconveniencing hundreds of thousands of people of the city, it is time for the people to have something to say."

A representative of the Interborough Company said yesterday that when P. J. Connolly, in behalf of the motormen, and the other members of the committee called on Frank Hedley, President of the company, on Monday they stated immediately that they wanted their wages increased. There was no talk at the outset, according to this authority, about anything else, and it appeared that the men had no other purpose of calling.

Men Not to Strike.

The statement of the official continued:

"Mr. Hedley told the men that the company was not earning enough money to meet operating expenses, and that nobody knew what would happen if the company failed to raise enough money by January to pay pending liabilities. Then the men asked: 'If you do raise the money you are looking for, will you give us the raise we ask?' To this question Mr. Hedley is alleged to have replied, 'No.'"

This situation, it was explained, robs the conference between the men and the company next month of much of its importance, because wages will not be raised, and the men, it was stated, would not strike. Mr. Hedley admitted yesterday that the 25 per cent. increase demanded by the men had been practically disposed of at Monday's meeting, and that the coming conference would deal only with minor matters affecting the work of the men.

James L. Quackenbush, general counsel of the company, described the attitude of the men as "reasonable." He said that the men knew that the company was approaching bankruptcy, and that it would be impossible under the present conditions to give them more pay.

Motormen are now receiving 63 to 79 cents an hour, according to length of service; conductors, 54 to 57 cents; guards, 49 to 52 cents; towermen, 59 to 63 cents; switchmen, 55 to 58 cents; station masters, 58 cents, and gatemen, 35 to 37 cents. The pay of agents ranges from 39 to 44 cents; special officers, 44 to 45 cents; platform men, 43 to 44 cents, and cleaners, yardmen, &c., 37 to 38 cents.

Steamfitters earn as much as 88 cents an hour, blacksmiths as much as 94

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MORRIS GEST MIDNIGHT WHIRL
Century Grove, Opens Next Fri., Dec. 26.—Advt.

"ADAM AND EVA," Biggest Comedy Hit in New York—Longacre Theatre.—Advt.

ALLIES WILL HEM IN RED RUSSIA AND AID ALL WHO FIGHT BOLSHEVIKI; SENATE NEARER TREATY AGREEMENT

CLEMENCEAU GIVES POLICY

Pledges Allies to Refuse All Compromise with Soviet Russia.

HELP FOR FRONTIER STATES

French Deputies Sustain the Premier's Program by a Vote of 458 to 70.

JAPANESE TROOPS IN PERIL

Red Raids on Siberian Railroads Increase and Reinforcements May Be Sent.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—The Chamber of Deputies today voted confidence in the Government, 458 to 70. The vote, which carries approval of Premier Clemenceau's program, was taken after the Chamber had listened to his declarations on the determination of the Allies to crush Bolshevism, his confidence in the Anglo-Franco-American agreements, his prediction of a solution of the Fiume problem, and his understanding with Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain.

M. Clemenceau told the Chamber that President Wilson and Great Britain had offered military agreements. Certain points in the Peace Treaty had been questioned, he said, but there were no serious objections to the military agreements.

The Premier added that the latest indications were that the Fiume situation would be solved, "and then only can we breathe freely."

When asked by the Socialist Deputy, Marcel Cachin, if he ought not to give an unquiet country explanations of the treaty and the Anglo-American military compacts, M. Clemenceau said:

"I did not ask for these military guarantees. They were offered by England and President Wilson. I do not believe they will be questioned. Although certain points of the treaty have been discussed, there is no serious objection to the guarantees."

During the discussion on the London conferences ex-Premier Barthou questioned M. Clemenceau on Russia, and the Premier said Russia had been discussed previously, but added:

"I will tell you the two principal decisions we have taken. Not only will we not make peace, but we will not compromise with the Government of the Soviets. We have decided that we will be the allies of all peoples attacked by Bolshevism."

M. Clemenceau added that the Allies would maintain a barbed-wire fence around Russia, notably by aiding the Poles, Rumanians, and others along the frontiers.

Resuming his discussion of the London conference, M. Clemenceau said:

"Mr. Lloyd George told me, 'If we reach an understanding there will be no more war in Europe.' I replied, 'Whatever happens, you can count not only on me, who am temporary, but upon all France.'"

Regarding the situation in the Adriatic the Premier said:

"The Fiume question has been agonising. Italy promised Fiume to the Jugoslavs, but went back on her promise. France, England, and the United States have sought a solution, and the latest indications are that it will finally be reached. Only when this is solved can we begin to breathe freely."

M. Clemenceau appealed to the Chamber to work hard and talk little. He said the Cabinet at the end of the remaining weeks of its tenure of office would give its resignation to the President, and added: "It will not be an exit by one door, to enter by another."

JAPAN MAY INCREASE FORCES IN SIBERIA

Situation There Is Called Precarious—United States Placed in Dilemma.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Bolshevist attacks on points held by Japanese troops along the Siberian Railway, which during the months of September and October totaled 436 distinct raids, are becoming much more frequent and formidable, despite the advent of Winter, with the result, it was stated today in well-informed quarters here, that the situation of the Japanese has become so precarious as to require immediate reinforcement or withdrawal.

American troops still in Siberia are further to the east and consequently have suffered much less than the Japanese soldiers from these raids.

Japanese Ambassador Shidehara has been in consultation with Secretary Lansing regarding measures to be taken to meet the rapidly increasing danger, and these conferences are still progressing. It has been said here that it did not appear in view of the sentiment in the country that the American forces in Siberia can be strengthened, yet officials still deem it wise to maintain at

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Mat. & N. CALOX, The Original Dentifrice
Clemmie—Wallack's Theatre.—Advt.

London's American Commerce Chamber for Treaty With Such Reservations as Will End the Deadlock

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The American Chamber of Commerce of London has addressed identical messages to United States Senators Lodge and Hitchcock on the subject of the ratification of the Peace Treaty.

The Chamber is composed of representatives of all the leading American bankers, merchants, and firms doing business in Great Britain, and also of the leading British shipping, banking, and business concerns trading with the United States. The latter, however, have no voting power, the control of the Chamber being in the hands of firms incorporated in America and American citizens.

The message reads:

The failure of the United States to ratify the treaty and enter into working arrangements with the Allies is causing our motives for entering the war and our hesitation in going into the reconstruction plans to be misrepresented and misunderstood.

America owes it to herself, as well as to the world, to come to the help of the disorganized and starving portions of Europe.

The international machinery started by the Peace Conference is falling to pieces. All actual progress toward peace is checked, and peoples are slowly drifting toward famine and anarchy, which can be remedied if the United States will decide quickly and assume her responsibilities. Business, manufacture, transportation, and even agriculture are wholly or partly paralyzed.

Whether the covenant be ratified as it stands or with reservations is infinitely less important than that some international working arrangement be agreed on which will remove the uncertainty and enable private enterprise, upon which the main burden of reconstruction must fall, to get to work without further delay.

We therefore urge you to use your utmost endeavors to secure ratification of the treaty, with such reservations as may have to be made to break the present deadlock.

CHILDREN RUN RIOT IN CHRISTMAS FETE

Armory Stormed by 14,000 Youngsters, of Whom 7,000 Were Uninvited.

POLICE RESERVES CALLED

Order Restored After Hundreds Are Driven Out of Hall—Chaperons Complain.

With 14,000 children in the auditorium, 7,000 of whom are said to have come uninvited, the wildest disorder prevailed for a time last night in the 71st Regiment Armory, Park Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street, where the People's Liberty Chorus and the Police Department of New York staged the biggest Christmas festival ever arranged in this city for needy children. Police reserves from six precincts were called to restore order following a rush by the children upon the long tables on the east side of the armory, where thousands of their gifts were being distributed. Order finally was restored and the program continued as arranged. The management announced that all the children received their gifts.

Fourth Deputy Police Commissioner Wallis, who conceived the idea of the central festival to take the place of the police station celebrations of former years, said the cause of the disorder was the presence of 7,000 uninvited children. At one time the Commissioner mounted a table in the centre of the armory and for fifteen minutes blew a whistle and shouted to his policemen to restore order. Meanwhile children were rushing madly about the floor of the big auditorium. Scores of them, some on crutches, were bowled over. Hundreds of others were rushed out of the building and became separated from their chaperons. Two women are reported to have fainted.

Only Half Enough Gifts.

"There were 14,000 children here," said Commissioner Wallis later, "and the whole cause of the trouble is that we only had presents enough for half of them. No provision was made to give presents to more than 7,000."

Deputy Commissioner Wallis said late last night that all children having tickets who did not receive gifts at the armory would be supplied at their own police stations today.

When the disturbance was at its height, at about 8:30 o'clock, the officers in charge of the armory caused the assembly call to be sounded, and the uniformed members of the regiment, already on duty at the doors of the armory and in the basement, rushed in mass formation to the armory floor to help the police restore order.

Some of the patrolmen lost control of themselves in the mad scramble and were seen pushing children headlong down the Thirty-fourth Street entrance of the armory into the street, but most of the officers seemed to be kindly disposed toward the children.

The plan to have the gifts distributed by a Santa Claus impersonated by Frank Fogarty, a former actor, had to be abandoned, but all other features of the program were carried out.

The children began arriving at the armory at 4:30 o'clock, those from a distance coming in automobiles and by street cars. Those from nearby precincts walked. Owing to a delay in completing the stands for the Liberty Chorus, the children were kept outside the armory until 5:45 o'clock. When the doors finally were opened several thou-

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"APHRODITE," Biggest Sensation in New York. 3 Mats. This Week: Today, Thurs. & Sat., 2:00 to 5:15. Century Theatre. Eve. 8 Sharp.—Advt.

SLIGHT CONCESSION MADE IN PROTOCOL

Allies to Cut Scapa Flow Indemnity if Their Shipping Estimates Are Excessive.

GERMANS DELAY ANSWER

But Remain in Paris, Despite Rumor That They Would Return to Berlin.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—The German delegation here has decided not to return to Berlin to consult the Government over the terms of the allied reply to the last German note, according to an announcement made by the French Foreign Office this evening.

It was announced earlier in the day that Baron Kurt von Lersner, head of the delegation, had told the Secretariat of the Peace Conference that he felt obliged to consult the Berlin Government, and that he would start with all his experts for the German capital this evening. The Foreign Office tonight stated, however, that Baron von Lersner and the other Germans of the delegation had decided to remain here.

Paul Dutasta, Secretary of the Peace Conference, handed Baron von Lersner the allied reply to the last German note this morning. The Baron then told M. Dutasta that, owing to difficulties of communication and the importance of the document, he felt obliged to consult Berlin. He expressed a desire to lay emphasis on the fact that his leaving Paris would be in no wise a rupture of negotiations.

Secretary Dutasta accompanied the note with an oral communication in which it is understood he assured von Lersner that the Allies recognized the economic difficulties which might exist in Germany and wished to take them into account.

M. Dutasta is understood to have told the German plenipotentiary that if proof were given that errors had been made in the estimate of floating material now in the possession of Germany, upon which the Allies based their demands for reparation for the sinking of the German ships at Scapa Flow, these demands would be reduced proportionately.

L'Echo de Paris says the French and British delegates agreed with the proposal of Georges Leygues, Minister of Marine, for the rejection of the German counterproposal and favoring the demand for the delivery of five light cruisers and 300,000 tons of naval materials as compensation for the scuttling of the German ships in Scapa Flow. The newspaper says, however, that it is possible that only the 300,000 of floating material may be demanded.

Hope of Peace By Christmas Wanes.

By EDWIN L. JAMES.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Because the Germans still have to make their final decision it appears unlikely that Europe will have peace as a Christmas gift. The Allies' final note was handed to Baron von Lersner at 10:15 o'clock this morning. Von Lersner has boasted that he has full power to sign the protocol if he sees fit. If he signs it himself tonight or tomorrow the Versailles treaty can be put into effect before Christmas. If he refers the note to Berlin there is practically no chance of the deposit of ratifications by tomorrow midnight.

The Supreme Council's note shows fewer concessions than were expected up to twenty-four hours ago. It stands out for payment for the Scapa Flow

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SOUVENIR Mats. Wed. and Sat., Liberty Theatre. BILLIE BURKE in "Caesar's Wife." The best acted play in New York.—Advt.

ROOT URGING AGREEMENT

Presses Republicans to Submit Treaty Proposal to Wilson.

LENROOT IN CONFERENCE

Talks with Lodge, Who Thinks Democrats Will Come Over to His Plan.

HITCHCOCK IS CONFIDENT

Bryan Influence Said to be Active—Americans in London Call for Agreement.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Senators Lodge and Hitchcock, leaders of the Republican and Democratic Parties in the Senate, take strikingly divergent views on the probabilities of the Peace Treaty situation.

While Senator Lodge expects Democrats to come over soon to the Lodge reservations, or their substance, Senator Hitchcock takes the view that Republican mild reservationists will force the Lodge reservationists into line for a compromise, which will then be accepted by the Democrats.

Both Senators, however, agreed today that a compromise was on the way, and they gave strong indications of being willing to let other Senators do most of the preliminary work without the interference of the party leaders.

Senator Lodge said he was constrained to believe that the Democrats must in the end accept substantially the Lodge reservations by the fact that, though many compromise movements were under way among Democrats, nothing concrete had developed from any of them so far. In Mr. Lodge's view, the Democrats are hopelessly divided as to what they want, and are getting further apart. In the end, he thinks, they will find that the Lodge reservations offer the most acceptable common ground.

Lodge Sent for Underwood.

Mr. Lodge said that in his conference with Senator Underwood yesterday they discussed the treaty only in the most general way. Other information showed that Mr. Underwood went to Mr. Lodge's office at the latter's request, and it was stated in addition that Mr. Lodge made a definite proposal to Mr. Underwood. Senator Lodge denied this, and as Mr. Underwood has left Washington for his home, it was impossible to get his side of the story.

Considerable comment was caused by the fact that Senator Lodge called Mr. Underwood into conference instead of Senator Hitchcock, the acting leader of the Democratic minority. Mr. Lodge had nothing to say as to his reason for this. Senator Hitchcock was as much surprised as any one to learn of the conference.

In his discussion of the situation, Senator Lodge said he was "afraid" President Wilson would reject any sort of compromise which the Senate might submit to him. He also saw William J. Bryan's hand in the situation, he said, although Democratic Senators declined to acknowledge that Mr. Bryan was doing anything in connection with the efforts to get the treaty disposed of.

Senator Lodge conferred for an hour today with Senator Lenroot, mild reservationist. Both were extremely reticent concerning the discussion.

Expects Republicans to Lead.

Senator Hitchcock said that he expected "Republican mild reservationists to take the initiative, and perhaps to write the compromise which will finally prove acceptable."

"They will take the initiative," he continued, "because they do not want to be put in the position—or at least some Republican Senators do not—of accepting anything which comes from the Democratic side. They do not want the Democrats to make proposals to them. The numerous conferences which the Republicans are holding undoubtedly mean that they are preparing to submit proposals first to the supporters of the Lodge reservations, and when they have accepted the compromise then to the Democrats."

Senator Hitchcock said he thought it was extremely likely that Senator Lodge would not take a very active part in early negotiations, because of the fact that his attitude toward various proposals had created resentment among some members of his party, thus making it harder for him to unite all the Republicans on a compromise. Mr. Hitchcock pointed out that Senator Lodge had taken up in turn the proposals of Senators Fall and Knox, which are strongly opposed by many Republican Senators who do not believe that the war can be ended by Congressional resolutions and who are opposed to separating the treaty and the League covenant if it can be avoided.

Mr. Lodge indicated that he expected to let matters take whatever course they would for a time.

Mild reservationists, however, are determined that Mr. Lodge shall co-operate in getting the compromise worked out. They explained today that they told him in no uncertain terms at his home on Sunday that not only must he not interfere with the work of compromisers, but he must aid it.

The Lodge-Underwood conference was a direct result, the mild reservationists

Ford Now Plans an $8-a-day Minimum Wage; May Reduce Price of Car at the Same Time

Special to The New York Times.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 23.—Ford motor car interests, according to reports which are not denied by officials of the company, are planning to increase the pay of their 52,000 employes to an $8-a-day minimum during the coming Summer, the scale to go as high as $12 a day in some instances. The present minimum wage is $6 a day.

The wage increase, it is said, is a detail of a plan of Mr. Ford for a billion dollar corporation, intrenched in every corner of the globe and owned by one man.

If nothing unforeseen occurs, Mr. Ford and his son Edsel will gain control of every penny of Ford stock in August. Simultaneously with the wage boost, it is stated, the price of the Ford car will in all likelihood be reduced, notwithstanding the fact that there are thousands of unfilled orders on the company's books.

With the wiping out of a $75,000,000 loan next Summer Mr. Ford will be free to resume his policy of turning back profits into higher wages and reduced prices for the finished product.

MALL FAMOUS CIGARETTES
Where Particular People Congregate—Plain Ends.—Advt.

TAKE BELL-ANS AFTER MEALS and see how GOOD DIGESTION makes you feel.—Advt.

DEEPAIRE SOFT COLLARS
Do not wrinkle—with patented insert.—Advt.

say, and they expect the Republican leaders to go on conferring with Democrats.

Elihu Root and other prominent men close to financial interests have been writing to Senators, including Mr. Lodge, within the last ten days, urging that they unbend a little from the inflexibility which has marked their attitude, and at least put some compromise ratification before President Wilson. Mr. Root, it is stated, has urged this course strongly on Republican members of the Senate, both in writing and in person.

BARUCH DENOUNCES REPORTS.

Denies Conveying Wilson Message on Treaty to Senators.

A statement by Bernard M. Baruch, who is at Georgetown, S. C., was given out yesterday at 111 Broadway, in which Mr. Baruch said that recent reports that he had defined to certain Senators President Wilson's position on the Peace Treaty were "a tissue of lies." The statement reads:

"My attention has just been called to the article, sent out under a Washington date line Sunday last, representing me as having undertaken to define to certain Senators the President's attitude about the Peace Treaty. That article is a tissue of lies from beginning to end.

"I have not suggested, nor intimated, to any Senator that I spoke for the President in any particular. Whatever I have done in behalf of the Peace Treaty I have done as a private citizen, speaking my own views only, and endeavoring, in common with millions of my fellow countrymen and women, to set forward the cause of peace and to bring about the ratification of the League of Nations, which, in my opinion, will be the greatest agency ever devised for the prevention of future wars.

"I refrain from replying to the vicious personal attacks made upon me by certain newspapers controlled by one man. These attacks are a part only of the sinister and malevolent purpose of a certain coterie in this country which is determined to prevent the ratification of the Peace Treaty at all hazards.

"When America entered the war in 1917 I was called, without my seeking, into the service of the country. I immediately gave up all business of every kind and character and devoted myself wholly to the discharge of my public duties. I have not been engaged directly or indirectly in business since."

COMPARES RAILROAD COSTS

Systems Operating in New Jersey Seek Reduction in Valuation.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 23.—The cost of installing a dollar's worth of material by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company amounted to about 90 cents five years ago, while in 1918 the cost was $1.50.

This was stated in testimony submitted today before the State Board of Taxes and Assessments by the corporation in appeals filed by various railroad systems operating in New Jersey for reduction in the total valuation placed by the board on first and second class railroad property for 1920. The total amount fixed as the value of this property for 1918 was $380,939,770, on which railroad companies will pay a total tax of $11,019,923.

The companies claimed the board assessed rail and other items at greater value than actual contract prices which companies are paying for these commodities and also that the board has assessed more cars than the railroad actually had in New Jersey during the tax year. The companies, however, do not deny they own the number of cars taxed by the board, but say that under Government operation they were widely distributed and that each road used great numbers of cars belonging to other roads.

SAYS POLICE UNION IS DEAD

Commissioner O'Brien Declares Jersey City Force is Independent.

Commissioner Charles F. X. O'Brien of the Jersey City Department of Public Safety said yesterday that he had received a signed affidavit from every policeman on the force to the effect that he was not a member of any organization affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

He declared that the Policemen's Union is as dead as the Firemen's Union, which disbanded several weeks ago.

HOWAT IS RELEASED; ACTS TO END STRIKE

Calls Meeting of Kansas District Union Executive Board at Judge Anderson's Request.

CHARGE MAY BE CONTINUED

Expressed Readiness to Stay in Jail at First, but Later Decided to Meet Court's Demands.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 23.—Alexander Howat, President of the Kansas district of the United Mine Workers of America, was released from jail this afternoon on his previous bail by Judge Anderson, and before leaving tonight for his home in Pittsburg, Kan., called a meeting of the Executive Board of the Kansas district, at which steps will be taken to end the strike of the 1,000 employes of the Central Coal and Coke Company. Howat promised Judge Anderson to use his influence to get the men back to work, and his call followed a telegram sent to the Kansas district by William Green, International Secretary, ordering the strikers to return to their jobs.

Charges of contempt of court against Howat were part of general charges against eighty-four international and district officials of the miners in which it was alleged that the officials had violated the injunction issued by Judge Anderson against furtherance of the strike. Hearing of the charges against all the officials except Howat have been continued twice, the second time indefinitely. Howat's alleged action in keeping a local strike in force in Kansas, however, led to his arraignment in court here yesterday and his commitment to jail when he failed to give assurance that the Kansas strike would be called off.

It was indicated that with resumption of work at the Central Coal and Coke Company's property, a hearing of the charges against Howat set for next Monday would be continued and that Howat's status would be the same as the other officials against whom charges still are pending, but which, according to general belief, will not be pushed so long as they do not violate the court's injunction.

Judge Anderson said he had no desire to cause Howat any undue hardship, but at the same time the court said the law must be obeyed and the order enjoining the coal miners' strike as a violation of the Lever act must be respected.

Judge Gets Howat to Agree.

After laboring with Howat, Judge Anderson said:

"Let's have no misunderstanding. If there is any question, let's have it answered now."

He then asked Secretary Green if he had the power to speak for the international union. The answer was yes.

The court then said it was the understanding that Mr. Green was to give telegraphic orders at once to end the July strike and the new local strikes in Kansas. The Judge went on to say that Mr. Howat "agrees to use his influence and to co-operate with the international to bring about an end of the strikes."

"Is that right, Mr. Howat?" asked the Judge.

"That's about right," said Howat. "I'll use my influence to concur and have the orders of the international carried out by the Executive Board of Kansas," he continued.

"You will call it?" asked the Judge, referring to a meeting of the Kansas Executive Board.

"Yes, sir," said Howat, after a moment's hesitation.

At the beginning of the session Howat expressed himself as being ready to stay in jail if he had to sacrifice all his rights as an American citizen. During the controversy over the right to strike Judge Anderson, referring to Howat, at one time said:

"This man is contumacious and insolent."

Officials at the headquarters of the United Mine Workers of America said today they had not heard of the strike of the Kansas miners as a protest against the action of United States District Judge A. B. Anderson, who yesterday ordered Alexander Howat, President of the Kansas miners, remanded to jail.

Expect Men to Return to Work Today.

PITTSBURG, Kan., Dec. 23.—Predictions that 3,000 union miners who went on strike today because District President Alexander Howat was imprisoned at Indianapolis would resume work tomorrow, following the release of their official, was made tonight by A. Dorchy, Vice President for the district. He said that no action toward ending the Central Coal and Coke Company strike, in effect since July, would be taken until President Howat returned from Indianapolis or sent instructions.

Dorchy and Thomas Harvey, Secretary for the Kansas district, left tonight for Kansas City, where a conference is to be held tomorrow by officials of the Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma districts.

Women Pickets Start Pueblo Riot.

PUEBLO, Col., Dec. 23.—Police reserves were called to quell a riot at the Minnequa Steel Works here today, when Austrian women pickets stoned steel workers who had returned to work in defiance of the union strike order. A dozen arrests were made.

JAIL FOR YOUNG BOND THIEF

Seventeen-Year-Old Messenger Gets 5 to 9 Years for Taking $32,525.

Elias Teaman, seventeen-year-old messenger, of 25 East 105th Street, employed by L. M. Prince & Co., was sentenced yesterday in General Sessions to from five years to nine and a half years in prison by Judge Mulqueen, after he had pleaded guilty. In September he disappeared after he was entrusted with $32,525 worth of bonds to deliver to another firm. The youth went to Palm Beach and to other places. He was arrested in Detroit.

Max J. Gallubier, a broker, at 406 East 149th Street, was locked up at Police Headquarters, charged with criminally receiving stolen Liberty Bonds. Gallubier gave his address as 1,061 Tinton Avenue, the Bronx.

Early on Monday the broker went to the Federal Reserve Bank, 120 Broadway, to have twenty $1,000 Liberty Bonds changed into bonds of smaller denomination. The bank notified the police and the questioning of Gallubier began. The police said he said that "H. J. Barnes" had given him the bonds, and that he had paid $19,700 for them.

The police decided to give Gallubier an opportunity to produce Barnes. Nobody named Barnes showed up, and Gallubier was arrested.

The police are endeavoring to ascertain whether or not these bonds are part of $140,000 worth that disappeared in September, when Leon Julofsky, a messenger for Levinson & Co., 52 Broadway, disappeared. Julofsky and another lad were sent out to deliver $400,000 in securities. They started for the office of Maybon & Co., 45 Wall Street, to deliver $330,000 in Liberty Bonds. They made a stop at 71 Broadway and Julofsky handed the other boy the satchel and told him he was going to the washroom. He never came back, and it was found that $140,000 in Liberty Bonds was missing.

Charged with receiving stolen goods, James F. Campbell, of 19 Woodruff Avenue, Brooklyn, was held yesterday in $20,000 bail in the Tombs Court. He was arrested on Monday night at 1 Wall Street, charged with having in his possession four $1,000 New York City bonds, stolen from John Gans & Co., 12 Broadway, on Oct. 27. The bond was made heavy at the request of the District Attorney's office, which alleged that Campbell was involved in transactions, aggregating $500,000.

DISPOSSESS SERVED UPON MRS. SHONTS

Widow of Traction Head Called On to Vacate Apartment for Non-Payment of Rent.

IS ONE MONTH IN ARREARS

Unable to Pay Until $5,000 Insurance, Her Sole Legacy, Is Received, Says Daughter.

Mrs. Milla D. Shonts, widow of Theodore P. Shonts, President of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, who died in September, was served with a dispossess notice yesterday requiring her to vacate her apartment at 570 Park Avenue on or before Friday for nonpayment of rent. She was cited to appear in the Ninth District Municipal Court, Madison Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street, on that day to answer the suit.

Speaking for Mrs. Shonts, Mrs. Rutherford Bingham, her daughter, admitted the papers had been served. She said it was simply an instance of being one month in arrears with the rent, which amounted to $341.67. She said Mrs. Shonts had been waiting for an insurance company to pay $5,000 on a policy taken out by the Interborough head in which he named her as the beneficiary. Mrs. Bingham added that her husband had been paying the rent for her mother, but this month had been unable to do so. She expressed belief that the claim would be settled without difficulty, remarking, "We have, of course, never called upon friends for assistance."

Those who have been following the Shonts case recalled that the insurance policy to which Mrs. Bingham alluded, was the only provision Mr. Shonts made for his wife. In his will, in which he stipulated that Mrs. Shonts was to have this insurance and an oil painting of herself, the Interborough head mentioned Mrs. Amanda Thomas, "my friend," as the residuary legatee of his estate, which has been variously estimated at from $475,000 to $9,000,000.

This last figure is the amount named by friends of the widow, who is contesting the will. Mrs. Thomas, who lived at 930 Park Avenue, received valuable furniture from Mr. Shonts while he was alive.

Attorneys for the Guaranty Trust Company, named in the will as one of the executors, and recently appointed temporary administrator of the estate, yesterday applied to the Surrogate's Court for permission to sublet Mr. Shonts's apartment at 930 Park Avenue. The papers said the apartment was leased in 1916 at a rental of $3,500 a year and has two years more to run. Permission was asked to charge a rental of $4,500, which the administrator feels is justified by amounts asked for similar apartments in the neighborhood.

When Mr. Shonts took the apartment he spent $1,500 altering it to his own taste. The Court is asked to allow the trust company to spend a similar sum to restore the rooms to the condition they were in before he made the changes.

The administrator also took up with the court the question of the stock farm owned by Mr. Shonts in Bucks County, Pa. According to the papers filed the farm consists of 305 acres, on which are a large house, two small cottages, and several cattle barns. The petition said there was $58,000 insurance on the place, the premium of which, amounting to $1,143.15, has been due since May. There also is due, it was said, $1,151.75 "advanced by others" for salaries and other expenses for maintenance. The superintendent of the farm has a claim of $389.05 for money advanced for the November expenses. The maintenance of the farm will average $400 a month from now on, the administrator said.

A third request concerned 540 shares of "restricted ordinary" stock of the Imperial Tobacco Company of Great Britain, which Mr. Shonts purchased at a par value of £1. The holders of these securities were privileged several months ago to convert them into more attractive securities, and the trust company, believing it would be to the advantage of the estate, availed itself of the opportunity. The petition said quick action was necessary, as the time limit set was Oct. 20. Payment for this stock was on the basis of $4.20 to the pound, and the securities are now worth $11 a share, the petition said, asking the Surrogate's approval of the transaction.

Coincident with the filing of the petition, notice of appeal from the decision of Surrogate Fowler removing her as temporary administratrix of the estate was filed for Mrs. Shonts by George W. Files, her counsel. The contest of the will is expected to come up next month

HOOVER NOT DESIROUS OF POLITICAL HONORS

Well Satisfied with Present Work of Helping to Feed Europe, He Declares.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Rumors that he would be a candidate for the Presidency were dismissed by Herbert Hoover when he returned here today from the second Industrial Conference at Washington called by President Wilson.

"I have no political aspirations," said Mr. Hoover, "and am perfectly contented with my present work—that of providing three million European babies with milk and healthy food."

Mr. Hoover said he believed the situation in Europe was improved over last year, although Finland, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, and Austria were still in a critical condition.

He urged the signing of the Peace Treaty as soon as possible and said he believed that the peak of industrial unrest in this country had been reached.

AN AID TO ARMY RECRUITING

Formal Opening of Panama Canal to be International Ceremonial.

The following statement was issued yesterday by Major Harry B. Clark, executive officer of the United States Army Recruiting Service, at 461 Eighth Avenue:

"These headquarters have been informed that men who enlist in the army at this time for service in Panama will be given an opportunity of witnessing a ceremonial of international participation, as they will be present at the formal opening of the Panama Canal, which will take place within three or four months with a parade of the naval vessels of all the powers.

"It is expected that the parade in size and general character will be in keeping with the occasion. It will take place in honor of a great enterprise—an American enterprise. Uncle Sam will be host. He built the canal, and still controls it. He will continue to control it. That control means much to him and will mean more and more as the years roll by.

"The present cold weather has stimulated army recruiting for Panama service, as many men have decided that a Winter in the tropics, where the average temperature is 80 degrees, and where it seldom drops below 60 degrees, and where outdoor sports are indulged in during the entire year, is preferable to the wintry breezes of New York, while the fact that by enlisting for Panama service now they can be present at the formal opening of the Panama Canal, should prove to be just one additional reason why they should take up Panama service in the United States Army."

ROB GIMBEL BROS. STATION.

Six Men Hold Up Employes and Escape with $2,000.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Six armed men early today entered the distributing station of Gimbel Brothers at Tuckahoe and forcing the superintendent of the place to open the safe, stole $2,000 in cash. They then entered a taxicab which was waiting outside, drove away, and have not been caught.

The men entered the station and ordered the four employes to throw up their hands. All had revolvers, so the employes obeyed. One of the band, pointing a revolver at the head of the superintendent, Edward Murphy, ordered him to open the safe. The robber then emptied it, but in his haste overlooked $350 in Liberty bonds, the property of Murphy. The six men backed into the taxicab and escaped.

RICHARD CROKER JR. AGAIN SUES FATHER

Son of Ex-Tammany Chief Files Two Actions, One of Which Is Individual.

SEEKS RULING IN ANOTHER

Alleges Father Tried to Break Trust Agreement—Wants His Accounts Approved.

Two suits filed in the Supreme Court yesterday against Richard Croker, ex-Tammany Chief, by his son, Richard Croker, Jr., made it clear that the differences between Mr. Croker and his children, which became known after he left here last Spring for Ireland, have become intensified and that the parties are likely to face each other in court before the father's return to Ireland next Spring.

In one of the suits filed yesterday Richard, Jr., sues his father individually. The nature of the action is not disclosed, because only a summons was filed and McCombs & Ryan, counsel for the son, declined to make it known. The other suit, in which a complaint was drawn, is an action by the son as trustee against his father, the estate of his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Croker, who died in 1914; his sister, Ethel C. White and Florence C. Morris, and his brother, Howard. The papers in both suits were served on Mr. Croker at the Hotel Savoy on Saturday immediately after his arrival here.

The complaint states that the son is trustee of a trust agreement made between him and his parents on April 20, 1909, by which the parents transferred to their son, as trustee, mortgages aggregating $98,000 and $20,359 in cash. The son alleges that his father has attempted to revoke the trust agreement, and, believing that he has no power to do so, the son asks the ruling of the court, and also wants his accounts as trustee approved.

The son alleges that under the trust agreement he was directed to hold the property and pay the income semi-annually to his father and mother, and to the survivor in case of the death of either, and on the death of the survivor the principal was to be divided among the children. Mrs. Croker died in September, 1914, and divided her estate equally among her children, but Richard, Jr., waived the payment of any part to him. He says he also waived his right to receive commissions because his parents desired that Howard and his two sisters should receive all the benefits.

The plaintiff says that between the death of his mother and Jan. 29, 1916, his father had directed him to make payments to Ethel, Clarence and Howard of sums shown in the account attached to the complaint, and directed that the balance of the income be added to the principal. In June, 1916, his father instructed him to pay his brother and sisters all the income up to $5,000, and he continued to do this until last August.

Mr. Croker says he made these payments in spite of notice from his father on Aug. 2, 1917, that he had revoked the trust agreement and demanded the delivery to him of all the property and income embraced in the fund.

The accounting shows that the principal of the fund now amounts to $130,150, and the income has been $66,665. The trustee paid out $62,679 of the income as follows: Mrs. Croker, $26,805; Ethel, $8,883; Florence, $5,833, and Howard, $9,233, while $11,790 was transferred to the principal. The balance of income on hand is $3,986.

When Mr. Croker sailed for Ireland last June he was served with papers in three actions. In two of them default judgments were entered in July because the ex-Tammany leader made no effort to defend the actions. A judgment for $137,181 was for advances made by the son in transacting his father's business here and for the interest on the advances. The second judgment for $80,000 represented the son's interest in the estate of his mother, which he said his father had promised to pay to his sister, Ethel, and brother, Howard, and failed to do so.

So far as could be learned yesterday Mr. Croker had made no effort as yet to have the fault judgments reopened so he can defend them on their merits, and his son has not tried to collect on the judgments.

SMITH URGES OUSTING OF WILSON AND PORTER

Sends a Final Report by George Gordon Battle to the Farms and Markets Council.

ALBANY, Dec. 23.—Governor Smith, in a communication to the Council of Farms and Markets, made public today, recommended the removal by the Council of Charles S. Wilson as Commissioner of Agriculture and repeated his recommendation for the removal of Dr. Eugene H. Porter as Commissioner of Foods and Markets.

The recommendations were made in submitting to the Council the final report by George Gordon Battle on his investigation of the Farms and Markets Council. Mr. Battle had recommended the removal of the two department heads.

As the result of a preliminary report by Mr. Battle, made in October, Governor Smith recommended the removal of Dr. Porter and the Council promised to give careful consideration to the recommendation when the final report, together with the complete evidence, was received.

SLIGHT CONCESSION MADE IN PROTOCOL

By EDWIN L. JAMES.

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fleet through the surrender of maritime equipment by Germany, but states that the Allies will take into account Germany's basic needs. It insists, however, that the protocol must be signed now, while arrangements of details can be taken care of later. England is responsible for this last-moment stiffening of the Allies' attitude.

In spite of her latest diplomatic fight, Germany has not escaped the Scapa Flow payment. But she has escaped being obliged to recognize the Allies' right to take military steps at any time they judge Germany is not living up to the treaty provisions. Whether or not Berlin will make a new fight to keep the maritime materials demanded by the Allies remains to be seen.

The Intransigeant says tonight:

"In French diplomatic circles the impression which prevails is that of a new rupture."

Report Lenin Superseded by Kalinin.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—An unconfirmed report reached the State Department today that the election of a new Executive Committee in Soviet Russia had resulted in the choice of Kalinin as President instead of Lenin. The same report indicated that Lenin had been made second President.

JAPAN MAY INCREASE FORCES IN SIBERIA

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least some show of military force in Siberia, unless the United States Government is willing to permit Japan to carry unaided the burden of resisting the eastward progress of the wave of Bolshevism, which it is conceded might be construed as an admission of exclusive Japanese control of Siberia in the future and the closing of the open door there.

If the United States does not care to go further into Siberia, or even to add sufficient strength to its troops now to meet the new developments, the Japanese are said to feel that it is their duty to hold their present lines, even though it be necessary to add considerably to the number of their troops there.

It has been explained to the United States Government that a withdrawal of the Japanese troops would be followed by the massacre of all of the Russian inhabitants who have given support to the Japanese and Americans and the seizure by the Bolsheviki of the entire line of the Siberian Railway upon which the people in the interior depend for sustenance.

For the Japanese, especially, the situation then would be made acute, it is said, because of the advent of Bolshevism right up to the borders of Korea and across the narrow straits separating Japan from the mainland of Asia.

The exchanges between the two Governments, representatives of both declare, so far have been characterized by the best of feeling, and the Japanese Government has taken special pains to make the United States Government understand that it desires to act in perfect harmony with it in this matter.

AMERICANS WOUNDED IN WESTERN SIBERIA

More Than 200 Men Are Taken 4,000 Miles from Kolchak's Front.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Transported 4,000 miles from the far western front in Russia, more than 200 wounded American soldiers arrived recently in Vladivostok and were received in the new military hospital of the American Red Cross only a few days after the anniversary of the signing of the armistice which brought the activities of the American Expeditionary Forces in France to an end.

The hospital, which was taken over from the British naval authorities by the Red Cross, will accommodate 300 patients. The civilian hospital which the Red Cross had maintained previously has been closed.

Eight girls from the Red Cross Petrograd children's colony located on Russian Island, have been brought to Vladivostok to enter hospital training. They were driven from Petrograd two years ago by the Bolsheviki and formed part of the small army of children under the care of the Red Cross in Russia.

ASKS PEACE WITH POLAND.

Soviet Meantime Prepares for Great Campaign Against Her.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—M. Tchitcherin, Russian Bolshevist Minister of Foreign Affairs, on Dec. 26 addressed an offer to the Polish Government to begin immediate negotiations to conclude peace, according to a wireless dispatch received here from Moscow. The Polish Government was requested to indicate the time and place it would like the negotiations to open.

GENEVA, Dec. 22.—Preparations for a great Bolshevist offensive against Poland next Spring are planned by Leon Trotzky, Soviet Minister of War and Marine of Russia, according to a Warsaw dispatch received by the Ukranian News Bureau here. Chinese troops, who are being recruited at the rate of 8,000 per day and trained in the Soviet military school, will aid in the campaign, it is said.

Recent statements by Trotzky are quoted to the effect that he believed Bolshevism to be "firmly rooted and sprouting in China," where a Bolshevist revolution is expected shortly. It is declared Trotzky intends to use Chinese in carrying out his project of an invasion of Western Europe.

BRITISH IN BATUM AND BAKU.

Reoccupy Cities in Caucasus to Prevent Advance of Turks.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—British forces have again occupied Batum and Baku to prevent the Turks from penetrating the Caucasus region, according to a Moscow wireless dispatch.

SIMS ATTACKS LIST OF NAVAL HONORS

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willing to grant them, but that Mr. Daniels decided to award D. S. M.'s to three other officers on the Sims list to whom the Knight board was only willing to award Naval Crosses.

As given out by Mr. Daniels tonight the comparison of recommendations and awards on names from Admiral Sims's letter of Nov. 7 follows:

Name.	Admiral Sims's Recommendations.	Board's Recommendations.	Secretary's Awards.
Edwards, W. A.	D.S.M.	N.C.	N.C.
Babcock, J. V.	D.S.M.	N.C.	N.C.
Tobey, E. C.	D.S.M.	N.C.	D.S.M.
Thompson, E.	D.S.M.	N.C.	N.C.
Knox, D. W.	D.S.M.	N.C.	N.C.
Sexton, W. R.	D.S.M.	N.C.	N.C.
Blakeslee, E. G.	D.S.M.	N.C.	D.S.M.
Yarnell, K. E.	D.S.M.	N.C.	N.C.
Schuyler, G. L.	D.S.M.	N.C.	N.C.
Thompson, T. A.	D.S.M.	N.C.	N.C.
Smith, S. F.	D.S.M.	N.C.	N.C.
Leigh, R. M.	D.S.M.	D.S.M.	D.S.M.
Long, B. A.	D.S.M.	N.C.	D.S.M.
Schofield, F. M.	D.S.M.	D.S.M.	N.C.
McNamee, Luke	D.S.M.	N.C.	N.C.
Cone, Hutch I.	D.S.M.	D.S.M.	N.C.
McBride, L. B.	D.S.M.	D.S.M.	N.C.
Stark, H. R.	D.S.M.	D.S.M.	D.S.M.
Twining, N. C.	D.S.M.	D.S.M.	D.S.M.

Congress to Take a Hand.

The question of the navy awards will probably be taken up both in the Senate and House. Senators Poindexter and Lodge of the Senate Naval Committee asserted that Congress should get at the facts at once.

Representative Luflin of the House Naval Committee announced his decision to offer a resolution for an investigation of the Knight board's awards and Mr. Daniels's action on them, and other members of the committee indicated their desire for an investigation.

Secretary Daniels received the Sims letter on Saturday, but was much surprised that it had been published in part before he had opportunity to consider it and that it had been received in mimeographed form in franked envelopes from Newport by many officers on duty at the department.

Senator Poindexter said that the letter written to Secretary Daniels by Senator Page, Chairman of the committee, was doubtless the result of suggestions made to Senator Page by other committee members. Senator Page's letters asked Secretary Daniels to give him all the facts concerning awards of medals to naval officers.

Senator Lodge said that in his opinion the Naval Affairs Committee should and would go into the question very fully.

While Congress has no authority to change any of the awards, Senators take the position that publicity concerning the methods followed in awarding them should be helpful, at least to the extent of showing the men in the navy that Congress is concerned to see that they get fair treatment.

Text of Admiral Sims's Letter.

The letter of Admiral Sims to Secretary Daniels reads as follows:

"Newport, R. I., Dec. 17, 1919.

"From Rear Admiral William S. Sims, United States Navy

"To the Secretary of the Navy.

"Subject: Award of decorations.

"1. As the former commanding officer of the United States Naval forces in European waters, it becomes my duty to invite your attention to certain features of the list of awards to naval officers, published in the Annual Report of the Secretary of the Navy, Appendnix I, insofar as concerns the officers whom I had the honor to command during the great war.

"2. This becomes my duty because this list contains a number of instances of injustice to distinguished officers, the effect of which upon the morale of the service, cannot fail to be very detrimental. The injustice lies not in the number of awards made, but in the fact that the awards as issued to officers in a number of instances are not in accord with the relative merit or the services performed by them as indicated by my recommendations. Officers who were recommended for the highest awards appear on the list as having been accorded lower awards and vice-versa.

"3. This must necessarily result in serious discontent and a sense of injustice, because there can necessarily be no better judge of the relative merits of the services of a number of officers than the responsible commanding officer of the organization in which they are serving.

"4. In fact it must always be impossible for a board, or any other outside authority, so to modify the estimate of realotive merit of the services of officers in an organization as made by their immediate and active superior in commannd, without inflicting actual injustice—and this necessarily defeats the whole object of instituting a system of awards for merit in time of war.

"5. An example of the injustice resulting from a failure to be guided by such recommendations is shown by the action taken upon the citation for awards of the officers of my staff abroad that were made in my letter to the department of Nov. 7, 1919. In explanation of the importance of the services of these officers, I stated as follows: All individual duties afloat are necessarily of secondary importance in comparison with the vital importance of directing all operations, both ashore and afloat, in such manner as to insure the success of the whole. This success as a whole was due to the work of these men. To each was given the responsibility and authority in his own department essential to success in any large organization and they exercised this responsibility with practically no direction from me—and to them belongs the credit.

"6. Of the nineteen officers recommended in that letter for the Distinguished Service Medal, only six were accorded this decoration and the remainder were accorded the Navy cross.

"7. Not only were the recommendations not complied with in thirteen of these cases, but—and this is the gist of the matter—a number of officers in the command,' whose services were relatively of less importance, and much less in responsibility, were accorded the highest award.

"8. This seems to be due to an erroneous opinion as to the relative value of services at sea and in certain vitally important positions ashore—an opinion that duty in the latter positions must necessarily be the least distinguished.

"9. This is so serious a misapprehension that the action of the department in awarding distinctions should be such as to have the effect of clearly impressing upon the service, without possibility of misunderstanding, that the most important duty in time of war is that of planning and directing the military operations of the whole force—that is, the function of superior leadership. The vital importance of successful leadership, and the recognitions which should follow, have no logical relation to the positions, ashore or afloat, from which such leadership must be exercised.

"10. In this connection it may be well to cite, as an illustration, perhaps the most flagrant of all the cases of mistakes as to relative merit. During the four most critical months of the submarine campaign, that is, from April to August, 1917, I was allowed by the Navy Department the assistance of but one commissioned officer, who necessarily performed the duties of chief of staff, secretary, aid, communication officer, intelligence officer, and all the other numerous duties of a staff during that period.

"11. In reports now on file at the department, I have stated that this one officer drew up the convoy plan, under which our troops were transported safely to Europe; that he initiated many of the most important tactical and strategical measures governing the operations of our forces in Europe; and that his very responsible services, were all of the highest importance in insuring our success.

"12. I accordingly recommended him for the Distinguished Service Medal. The published list shows that he was awarded the Navy Cross, while a number of officers under my command in positions of purely local responsibility, whom I recommended for the Navy Cross, have been given the Distinguished Service Medal.

"13. There are other instances of a similar nature in the other branches of the command. This is strikingly illustrated by the award of the Distinguished Service Medal to a considerable number of officers in position of very little responsibility, while four of the nine Rear Admirals under my command, whom I recommended for Distinguished Service Medals, in recognition of having borne their heavy responsibilities with conspicuous success, were accorded the lower award of the Navy Cross.

"14. These instances are so typical of the conditions in this respect throughout all branches of the command that further examples are unnecessary. But I feel impelled to inivte attention to a special class of awards which are the subjects of such service condemnation and ridicule, that the effects upon the present and future morale of the service must necessarily be deplorable to the last degree, namely, the Distinguished Service Medals awarded to many, if not all, of the officers who were defeated in action, or whose ships were sunk or seriously damaged by enemy submarines.

"15. In the case of destroyers or other vessels that were successfully attacked by German submarines, no special distinctions were recommended in my reports. These are typical examples not only of unsuccessful actions, but of failures to injure the enemy. The victors in these actions were the German submarines. By reason of the peculiar nature of the submarine warfare, no blame necessarily attaches to the commanding officers of these vessels for their failure, but on no account should they receive a special award for this lack of success.

"16. Even the assumption that subsequent to their failures they handled the situation well is, of course, no reason why they should be rewarded. To do so is to reverse the policy of our navy, and of all other navies, and thus establish a precedent that might well undermine the fighting efficiency of the whole organization.

"17. The commanding officer of a vessel that is sunk by a submarine should not receive the same reward as the commanding officer of a vessel which sinks a submarine. Yet it is precisely this which has been done in a number of instances.

"18. In my letter of Aug. 18, 1919, I urgently requested that 'all lists involving any of the officers or enlisted men who were attached to the United States naval forces in European waters be referred to me for comment before they were finally approved and published.'

"19. This was in order that I might supply any supplementary information that might be needed in order to establish the relative merits of the services of the officers concerned.

"20. As the noncompliance with this request may have contributed to the injustices above indicated, and as I assume that the department must be eager to correct all mistakes or misapprehensions that may have arisen, I request that I may be given the opportunity to explain my reasons for the relative order of merit upon which my recommendations were based.

"21. While it would manifestly be undesirable to diminish any of the awards already published, it is still within the power of the Navy Department adequately to recognize the services of distinguished officers who have received awards inferior to those which have been accorded less deserving officers of my late command.

"22. The department has been pleased to award me a distinguished service medal as an expression of its appreciation of the success of the forces under my command, but since, as explained above, and as stated in my letter of Nov. 7, 1919, the success of the forces abroad was chiefly due to the loyal and efficient services of the officers recommended for distinction—' and to them belongs the credit '—I am necessarily placed in a position which renders it impossible for me to accept this award under the conditions now existing.

"WILLIAM S. SIMS."

Daniels Defends the Awards.

The first of the letters which Secretary Daniels today sent to Chairman Page of the Senate committee follows:

"Washington, Dec. 23, 1919.

"Dear Senator Page: On Dec. 19 I prepared a letter in answer to your letter of Dec. 16 in regard to the awards of the navy medals, and in my letter I said that I was transmitting with the letter the report of the Board of Award. I have delayed mailing this letter to you, as I decided that it would be for the best interests of all concerned if I furnished you for your information all the recommendations which have been made by various naval officers in regard to medals for officers and men under their command in addition to the report made by the Knight board. As there is a large amount of papers and correspondence covering this subject, it is necessary to codify and tabulate in order that you might easily arrive at an understanding of the situation. This work is not yet completed, and I am therefore not yet able to send you a complete report, with all the recommendations, &c., but I will do so at the earliest possible date.

"Feeling that you would desire information covering the policy and standard which governed me in my review of the recommendations of the Knight board and in awarding the medals, I have decided to send you my letter of Dec. 19, above mentioned, without holding it longer, pending the codification of the above-mentioned report and papers, which will follow in a few days. Very sincerely yours,

"JOSEPHUS DANIELS."

Secretary Daniels's letter of Dec. 19, referred to above, reads as follows:

Washington, Dec. 19, 1919.

"My Dear Senator Page: Your letter requesting to be furnished with a copy of the report of the Board on the Award of Naval Medals was duly received, and I am inclosing herewith a copy of the board's report, which shows the names of the officers and men of the navy and Marine Corps which the board recommended for the award of the three navy medals authorized by law. The inclosed Distinguished Service Medal list marked 'A' will show in every case the action recommended by the board and the award made by executive action. There is also given the awards of the Navy Crosses. In addition to this the board also recommended that in certain specified cases letters of commendation should be addressed to certain officers and men. This latter list is long and I assume that it is not embraced in your request and, therefore, it is not inclosed. However, I will furnish this to your committee if you so desire.

"In connection with this subject I would invite attention to the fact that, in accordance with the law establishing the medals, the award of the medals is a function of the executive branch of the Government and is at the discretion of the President.

"Furthermore, I desire to emphasize the fact that this Board of Awards was established by my order and its recommendations were only for the information of the Secretary of the Navy. This board, therefore, did not have any statutory authority, its recommendations were not final, and the executive was authorized to act as if no board had been constituted. There is nothing to prevent the Secretary of the Navy's departing from the recommendation of this board when in his opinion this should be done.

"The principle which governed me in my review of the report of the board, and in the final award of the medals, was that those officers and men who had served in the active war zone, and particularly those who in this service had come in contact with the enemy, should come first in the recognition for their services as shown by these medals. In doing this, however, care was taken that the great value of the services rendered by the officers and men in other parts of the navy's activities, such as those in positions of great responsibility on shore duty, &c., should have proper recognition for their services also, but it is my belief that service in the active war zone should have paramount recognition.

"In pursuing this policy it is my opinion that the forces of the navy came in certain general classes, such as the navy transports, the battleships in the North Sea, the mine-layers in the North Sea, the mine sweepers in the North Sea, the destroyer forces which protected our naval forces in the war zone, the naval armed guards on merchant ships, the converted yachts in the war zone, the submarines in the war zone, the battleships and ships of other classes in the home stations and other sections of the world, shore stations in Europe and stations on shore at home and in other sections of the world.

"The service rendered by these different forces was recognized by the Board of Awards in assigning certain medals to the officers in command of the ships and stations concerned and this plan of procedure met my approval.

Preference for Sea Service.

"In that part of the board's report which was first submitted, however, I was forcibly struck by the fact that on a list of 140 officers recommended for the Distinguished Service Medal there was 68 per cent. of these on the home stations and 45 per cent. was on home shore stations, and that there was only 22 per cent. of these officers on duty at sea in the war zone. This list, therefore, did not meet with my approval, as I do not believe, for instance, that the commanding officer of one of the old battleships of very little fighting value, engaged principally in training men in the Chesapeake Bay, should be rewarded with the same medal as would be given to the commanding officers of one of our most powerful battleships serving in the North Sea with the British fleet, ready at any minute to give battle to the enemy, and I directed that, as a policy, the commanding officer of battleships in the North Sea should be awarded the Distinguished Service Medal, and commanding officers of battleships at home should be awarded the Navy Cross, and it is in this connection that a number of changes from the board's recommendations in the Distinguished Service Medal list will be found.

"It is also my opinion that the commanding officers of the ships engaged in the hazardous and vitally important duty of laying the mines in the great North Sea barrage should be rewarded with the Distinguished Service Medal.

"The value of the duty on shore was duly recognized, but in my opinion it should be of the very highest importance and responsibility in order that this duty should be recognized by the award of the same kind of medals as given to officers charged with great responsibility and at the same time in position of grave danger in the active war zone, and this was the standard which any particular case had to meet for an officer on shore duty to be awarded this medal.

"In addition to the recognition of service rendered by the officers and men of the various forces above mentioned there were also, of course, the cases of particular individuals whose conduct was outstanding and which could be singled out for special recognition. In consideration of these cases it was my opinion that the Distinguished Service Medal should be awarded to these officers in command of ships in the navy which were sunk by enemy attack and whose conduct was meritorious in such cases. I required all these cases to be carefully investigated, and as a result of this every officer reported meritorious in command of such a ship was awarded a Distinguished Service Medal.

"It was also noted that the board had recommended medals for only about eight officers and men who were engaged in the duty of naval guards on board merchant ships. As this service was one of very great importance and not only involved great hardship but frequent contact with enemy submarines, with which many brilliant engagements were fought, it was my opinion that this service should be more extensively recognized and I caused a special investigation of this branch of the navy's activities, and as a result of this thirty-six Navy Crosses and two Distinguished Service Medals were awarded to officers and men on this duty.

"Distinguished" and "Important" Service.

"The policy to govern the award of medals and officers engaged on shore duty was given very serious thought and consideration as, unless great care was exercised and careful distinction made between the service which was of 'great importance' and that which was really of a 'distinguished' nature, we might have the result of the list for shore duty being greater than the list for duty at sea in the war zone and the endeavor was made to assign the medals only to those officers who really had performed 'distinguished service' on shore and which was decidedly above the average.

"In consideration of this subject it is necessary that careful attention be given to what the medals represent; first, the Medal of Honor is to be awarded for conduct in the face of the enemy, which is 'beyond the call of duty'; next we have the Distinguished Service Medal, which is for performance of 'distinguished service in position of great responsibility'; next we have the Navy Cross, which may be awarded for heroic conduct not 'beyond the call of duty,' or, for 'distinguished service' of less character or responsibility than that for which the Distinguished Service Medal would be awarded.

"From this it is evident that the award of the Distinguished Service Medal involves the performance of duty in a 'distinguished' manner and this duty must, at the same time, be one of great responsibility. The Navy Cross can be awarded for either heroic conduct, distinguished service, or a combination of the two.

"Careful attention to the above requirements of law will indicate why the number of officers and men who got the Distinguished Service Meral is comparatively small and this will also indicate why the Navy Cross list is relatively large. But it must be fully realized that the Navy Cross is a medal of a very high order and one which any officer or man should be proud to wear, when awarded, as was the purpose, for services in keeping with the law which authorized the medal.

"The recommendations of the various commanding officers show the wide differences in the opinions of those officers as to what constitutes 'distinguished service in positions of great responsibility.'

"One will think certain aides on his staff have performed duty of this kind. Another will seem to think that the commanding officer of any ship, whether in the war zone or not, comes in this class.

"The real test of the merits of these duties is found in the answer, 'Whether or not the performance of the duty was decidedly above the average, and above what should ordinarily be expected of an efficient officer in the performance of his duties.' In the enforcement of this rule there must be, of course, difference of opinion. The board in many instances did not follow the recommendations of the commanding officers.

"In acting upon the large number of reports and recommendations for decorations, it is necessary to exercise care that these medals should not be so liberally distributed as to materially lessen their value, yet, at the same time, extreme care should be exercised to prevent any injustice, and, with this idea in mind, the medals were awarded in accordance with the policies above outlined.

Duties Ashore Always Secondary.

"My judgment is that individual duties ashore are always and necessarily of second importance to duties afloat. There are a few exceptions as in the instances of service of the highest character. The navy exists on sea. The only excuse for any naval officer being on shore at all is that a certain number must perform shore duties in order to furnish supplies and plan for the maintenance and operation of the fleet. I well understand that there may be those who place certain shore service as paramount. My attitude has always been in marked contrast to the policy of magnifying shore duty. I believe the service worthy of the highest distinction is that rendered afloat in the presence of the enemy. It is also true that there are those who in the navy place all character of staff duty even on shore above command of ships afloat. I emphatically dissent from such view, and cannot be governed by it.

"It is realized that where there have been so many occasions of performance of meritorious service by the 500,000 officers and men in the navy in the great war there may easily be differences of opinion in regard to the comparative merit of any particular case, but, under the law and acting by the authority of the President, it is the Secretary of Navy's duty to make the final decision in such cases. It is believed, however, that the motives and policies as above outlined have been entirely in keeping with the letter and spirit of the law which established these medals and decorations for the navy. Later reports and additional information will be given due consideration in future action with reference to additional awards, for there is no limit of time prescribed when these honors may be conferred. In view of delayed reports and lack of data other awards will be made, but in every case the principles above set forth will guide executive action.

"Sincerely yours,

"JOSEPHUS DANIELS."

Senator Page was out of the city today but other Naval Committee members said they would urge him to call a meeting of the committee immediately after the holiday recess.

Representative Luflin of Massachusetts, who was formerly secretary to the late Representative Gardner, said:

"When an officer of the prominence and distinction of Admiral Sims feels it necessary to decline to receive the distinguished service medal himself and to repudiate the entire proceedings on the part of the Secretary incident to the award, I believe that the time has come when the Congress and the people of the country are entitled to know the real facts. I think of nothing that is more likely to disrupt the navy than personal or political consideration."

Senator Poindexter, a member of the Senate Naval Committee, said:

"This matter clearly comes within the jurisdiction of Congress because it has seriously affected or threatens to so affect the morale of the navy. While no formal discussion has been had by the committee, members have talked the situation over. My personal view is that we should investigate thoroughly. If such an investigation is decided on, I think we should have Secretary Daniels, Admiral Sims, and the members of the Board which made the recommendations for awards before us, as well as anyone else who can throw light on the facts."

Sims Refuses to Discuss Navy Awards.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 23.—An effort was made today to interview Admiral Sims on the subject of his criticism of the award of navy medals, but he declined to discuss the matter in any form.

Admiral Sims learned this afternoon that there was a report about the Navy Department that he was to retire. When THE TIMES correspondent asked the Admiral if there was any foundation to the report, he replied it was news to him and that he had no intention of retiring from the service.

BERLIN CHRISTMAS ONLY FOR THE RICH

Streets Are Crowded With Shoppers But Only War Profiteers Can Pay the Prices.

TOYS ARE SCARCE AND DEAR

Those Who Can Afford It Are Giving Presents of Clothes at $400 to $500 a Suit.

By GEORGE RENWICK.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Dec. 21.—Today is "Golden Sunday," and in accordance with the time-honored custom the shops in Berlin are open to allow the people to make their Christmas purchases. Before the war there were three such shopping Sundays—three before Christmas—popularly named "Copper Sunday," "Silver Sunday," and "Golden Sunday" by reason of the increasing harvest reaped by shop keepers, but this year "Copper Sunday" and "Silver Sunday" have not been observed.

It has been raining heavily today and all the thoroughfares are half-flooded and yet the crowds in the streets are enormous. Of course the contrast with last year is tremendous. Then there was barbed wire everywhere, the noise of machine gun and rifle fire was constant night and day, and shopping had to be done in the midst of a revolution, but today jovial street hawkers' voices are heard in all the main shopping streets, the shops are crammed with customers, and as much business is being done as in the most flourishing years before the war.

But Berlin's Christmas this year will be a Christmas only for the rich. Even the foreigner, who obtains his marks cheaply, finds the prices high, so what must they be to the vast mass of the people to whom a mark is a mark with greatly depreciated purchasing power? It is only the wealthy, who would rather spend their money than pay it away in taxes, who are going to enjoy Christmas thoroughly in Berlin this year.

The smallest candle for a Christmas tree costs 25 cents. A box of inferior crackers is $2, and there are no cheap toys for hanging on Christmas trees. In the booths along the pavement in the main streets, where Berlin used to buy its Christmas trees, a mark is spent now where a penny was spent then. There are no ingenious, new, cheap toys. Not even in the shops is the toymaking ingenuity marked. The boy laments the almost complete absence of engines and railway trains, and his revolutionary father is doubtful about Uhlan and foot soldiers and cavalry.

Prices for War Profiteers.

The cheapest and most ordinary small doll costs about $4. Indeed, all toys are from twelve to twenty times dearer than before the war, and one cannot help noticing that the stocks of toys on hand in the big shops are not being sold.

So, this Christmas must be not only a Chris[illegible] for the rich, but mainly for the [illegible]. Enormous business is be[illegible] [illegible]rticles of luxury. Ivory [illegible] $25 upwards, and ivory [illegible] from $10 are among the [illegible] most popular Christmas pre[illegible] except in the case of fancy arti[illegible] jewelry the quality of things is, of course, not at all good.

Meat of all kinds is exceedingly scarce. Tinned ox tongue brings $25. A curious feature in this year's Christmas trade is that those who can afford it are giving themselves clothes. City tailors are charging 1,600 to 2,000 marks (nominally $400 to $500) for an ordinary lounge suit. Christmas trees, too, are very scarce and dear. Marzipan, so beloved by Germans at this period of the year, is only to be found in high-class confectionery shops at about $5 a pound. In short, Germany's Christmas this year will be a Christmas for the war profiteer.

Here are some of the prices charged in grocery shops this afternoon: Currants 12 marks, sultanas 14 marks, almonds 15 marks, Barcelona nuts 23 marks, preserved ginger 30 marks, raisins 30 marks, figs 55 marks, goose 16 marks, turkey 33 marks, apples 4 marks, all per pound, while plain chocolate cake costs 15 marks for a quarter pound and apples 24 marks a dozen.

GERMANS FACE COAL CRISIS.

Shortage Acute in Large Cities and Some Suspend Street Cars.

BERLIN, Dec. 23 (Associated Press)—The coal situation in numerous large cities of Germany continues to grow worse. In Dusseldorf the surface street car lines have shut down for the holidays and the Hamburg car lines and transportation on the river will cease entirely between Christmas and the New Year in order to enable the light and heat plants to operate. Four miners' unions in Bochum have abruptly terminated the wage agreement entered into Oct. 21 and requested the Central Union to conclude a new scale based on higher wages by Jan. 21.

CHRISTMAS MASS IN RHEIMS

Will Be Celebrated in the Cathedral Transept, Temporarily Repaired.

RHEIMS, Dec. 21.—Mass will be celebrated Christmas morning in Rheims Cathedral by Cardinal Luçon. Part of the fire-swept, shell-shattered transept has been arranged as a chapel, a wooden roof and glass windows having been placed in the great structure by the Committee of Historic Monuments and the Society of Friends of the Cathedral at Rheims at an expense of more than $15,000.

Fifty children from the city who are being supported by the American Red Cross have been rehearsing Christmas carols for the service. Warm suits have been given them for Christmas gifts, there being no means of warming the cathedral for the event.

COUZENS GIVES $1,950,000.

Mayor of Detroit Distributes Large Sums to Public Institutions.

Special to The New York Times.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 23.—Mayor James Couzens of Detroit will give away approximately $2,000,000 in Christmas gifts, chiefly to institutions for the care of crippled children and orphans, it was announced today.

The total is distributed as follows:

Annex for Michigan Hospital School for Crippled Children, $450,000. Endowment fund for school, $650,000. Total for school, $1,100,000.

Nurses' Home, Harper Hospital, $650,000.

Children's Free Hospital, $125,000.

St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, $75,000.

These gifts total $1,950,000. Mr. Couzens gave $62,000 to the patriotic fund for the year 1919, and $100,000 for the year 1920, which would make a grand total of $2,112,000.

AUTO BREAKS THROUGH ICE.

Three Passengers Drowned in Attempt to Cross New Hampshire Lake

STRAFFORD, N. H., Dec. 23.—Three men were drowned in Strafford Bow Lake late today after an automobile had broken through the ice. They were Clarence Emerson, Walter Davis and Edgar Huckins, all of this town.

A fourth member of the party, Harold Whitcher, was rescued.

BAKER SENDS TO ARMY A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

Commends the Duties of Peace, Predicting Great Opportunities for the Nation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Secretary Baker sent today to all American troops within the United States and abroad the following Christmas message:

"To those who wear the uniform of the United States, Christmas, with its deep meaning of 'Peace on earth, good will to men,' should take on an added significance this year, in that during the new era of peace for which such great sacrifices were made American institutions have been guarded during the twelve months past with that fidelity and devotion which has always been one of the great traditions of the United States Army.

"With the new year approaching, your country stands on the threshold of greater opportunities and prosperity than are to be read in any of the glorious pages of her history. As soldiers, you represent the strength of your country, and in peace, as well as in war, you can prove that the foundation of democracy and the safeguard of liberty is the ability of the individual to perceive and defend the truth.

"I speak for your Commander in Chief and for the nation you serve when I wish you a very merry Christmas and a successful and happy New Year."

$135,000 FOR CITY'S POOR.

Widows and Orphans to Receive Allowances by Christmas.

The Board of Aldermen yesterday adopted a resolution requesting the Board of Estimate to authorize the Controller to issue $135,000 in special revenue bonds, so that widows and orphans could get their money for December on Christmas Day or the day after from the Child Welfare Board. Objections by Aldermen William F. Quinn and Bruce M. Falconer, Republicans, were overcome after Sophie Irene Loeb, President of the Child Welfare Board, and Robert L. Moran, President of the Board of Aldermen, said that the widows and orphans were in urgent need of the money.

Both Aldermen Quinn and Falconer wanted to know why the $300,000 obtained by the Department of Markets as excess profit from the sale of army supplies could not be used by the Child Welfare Board.

President Moran explained that Corporation Counsel had given an opinion that the surplus money did not belong to the city and could not be used for city purposes.

CHRISTMAS PARDONS FOR 18

Conditional Paroles to be Given 35 Other Federal Prisoners.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23. — Christmas pardons this year will total eighteen, it was said tonight at the Department of Justice. Presidential approval has been given for the granting of full pardons to that number while to thirty-five others conditional paroles have been presented.

The pardon and parole recommendations, none of which will be made public, do not include any especially well known cases, officials said, and all were "plainly meritorious."

CHILD PATIENTS CELEBRATE.

Presbyterian Hospital Entertains 200 at Annual Christmas Party.

More than 200 children were given a Christmas party in the out-patient department of the Presbyterian Hospital yesterday afternoon. The children were those under observation by the tuberculosis bureau of the hospital.

After the singing of a few hymns a clown entered at the rear of the room, waving a frying pan, advanced to the platform, and gave the children some humorous instruction on what to eat and to drink in order to be strong and healthy. He then mystified his audience with some conjuring tricks. Ice cream was next served to the youngsters, after which Santa Claus paid them a visit and distributed gifts from a glittering Christmas tree. The celebration is an annual event at the hospital.

LAVISH GIFT BUYING IN LONDON AND PARIS

Newly Made Wealth Used in the Purchase of Jewelry and Other Costly Articles.

HIGH PRICES FAIL TO DETER

Britons to Enjoy Four-Day Holiday —Rush for Seats in Paris Restaurants.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Without the immediate cause for rejoicing which characterized last Christmas, when the armistice had just been declared, the present Christmas bids fair to surpass it in a display of the popular holiday spirit.

Christmas Day, the day following it, known as "Boxing Day," and Saturday have been declared public holidays, and hence there will be an entire cessation of business from Christmas Eve until Monday, during which time virtually the whole population will give itself over to pleasure.

Throughout the last week there has been an unprecedented crush in the shops and stores and a more lavish expenditure for Christmas gifts than ever before experienced. Contrasted with last Christmas, when the streets were full of khaki-clad men on leave from the front, an officer or soldier today is rather a rarity.

There is greater evidence than ever of the newly made wealth, and the most expensive of luxuries, in the shape of furs, jewelry, and costly articles of every kind, find ready purchasers. Every other person on the streets tonight is carrying a load of parcels.

The railways are ready for a record rush of people to the country, and the hotels are preparing to provide their customary dances and other festivities.

Two threatened strikes, one of waiters and chefs and the other of stage hands, threatened to throw a damper on the holiday spirit. The waiters, however, decided to postpone their strike until after the holidays, and strong efforts are being made to reach a settlement of the theatre trouble.

If the stage hands should strike it would result seriously for the pantomimes and Christmas plays. The Ministry of Labor therefore has intervened in an attempt to settle the matter before "Boxing Day."

King George, Queen Mary, the Prince of Wales, and the other members of the royal family will spend Christmas, as is customary, at Sandringham.

Paris Christmas Trees $4 Each.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—The little stalls that line the boulevards every Christmas and sell candies and small objects suitable for presents appear to find plenty of business this year, in spite of the fact that prices are running four and five times those in pre-war days.

Mistletoe costs $4 to $5 and holly from $1 to 2 a bunch. The lowest price for Christmas trees is about $4.

No extravagance seems too great for those wishing to celebrate the season, reports from restaurants showing that all seats have been booked. Apparently the higher the price the less chance remains of finding places to eat the Christmas dinner. Even the popular restaurants, the principal trade of which is in serving business lunches and dinners, are going to serve Christmas suppers for the first time on record.

Illustrating the financial position of France, the Petit Parisien compares the Government, which issues paper without a covering fund, to an individual who draws checks upon a bank in which he has no money.

Concerning speculation in rents in provincial towns, it is reported that a woman rented a small flat at Marseilles for 400 francs a year. After placing furniture in the apartment at a cost of 1,200 francs, she sub-let it at 3,000 francs to a cook, who again sub-let the flat for 440 francs a month.

VIENNA IS CHEERLESS IN HOLIDAY SEASON

Shops' Attempt to Create Christmas Feeling Futile—Prices Hopeless Except to Profiteers.

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VIENNA, Dec. 23.—Christmas in Vienna is going to be a dull affair. To begin with, the city is isolated. No passenger trains whatever will run during Christmas week because of the coal shortage. Then it is threatened with having a stoppage of electric current, although it is hard to believe that the present measured supply can consume much coal.

The waiters, too, are likely to cause trouble. They are threatening to strike over differences of opinion regarding wages and the tipping system. Café life is very popular here if only on account of the warmth that abides in the people's places, but it looks as if most people may be forced to stop at home. Not that that would improve matters much. Home is a very cold and dark institution in Vienna at present and has little store of food or fuel.

Christmas is going to be celebrated on a foundation of a two-pound loaf per week, with half a pound flour or some equivalents. Not much is to be hoped for from the surreptitious trade. Anything to be had beyond thin rations will be very expensive, and very little at that. The attempts by the shops to increase Christmas feeling are feeble and rather pathetic. One can see Christmas trees in some windows, but they are poorly ornamented things, suggestive only of poverty.

Timber is valued at present at its combustible value and the smallest tree costs 100 crowns, while the smallest candles will cost 8 crowns, if they are at all available. Foodstuffs are simply not to be seen in shop windows, with the exception of apples. In fact the humble apple is ubiquitous in both Germany and Austria. In the future whenever I see an apple I shall think of the great hunger Winter in Central Europe.

As a striking comment upon this scarcity of the very means of life is the abundance of articles de luxe—jewelry, leather, expensive clothing and ornate editions in bookshops. But these are all at prices which put them beyond the reach of any one except profiteers and foreigners.

The average Viennese simply cannot afford 600 crowns for a lady's small handbag nor 500 crowns for an ordinary pair of cuff links nor 250 crowns for a Schopenhauer. But what big shopping is being done is being done by foreigners who are hunting for resale abroad.

So the Viennese waits the advent of Christmas, which is to offer him only cold and darkness and hunger and a display of foods in the shop windows much beyond his means to buy.

OHIO GIRL PREVENTS ROBBERY OF A BANK

Sets Off Gong as Bandits Hold Up Employes and They Are Forced to Flee.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 23.—Six automobile bandits made an unsuccessful attempt to rob the First National Bank of Lockland, a suburb, this afternoon. The men were frustrated through the presence of mind of a girl employe, who pushed a button that set ringing a warning bell on the outside of the bank.

The men drove up to the bank building in an automobile. Two of them remained in the machine and the four others went into the bank. The latter at the point of revolvers lined up the cashier, the three paying tellers and three girl employes, the only ones in the bank at the time. As one of the robbers was trying to open the gate leading to the money vault one of the girls stepped on an electrical contrivance connected with a large gong on the outside of the building. This rang and when the robbers saw people running toward the bank from all directions they leaped into their automobile and sped away without obtaining any plunder.

TELLS ALL NATIONS WHY WE EXILE REDS

State Department Seeks Safe Conduct to Soviet Russia for Buford Anarchists.

NEW INVESTIGATION HERE

Senate Committee to Inquire Into Activities of Bolshevist and Anti-Bolshevist Russians.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Secretary Lansing today declined to disclose the route which the army transport Buford, carrying anarchists to Soviet Russia, will take.

The State Department has been trying to arrange safe conduct for these anarchists through territories contiguous to Russia, but has not yet been able to effect wholly satisfactory arrangements. Whether they will be sent by the Baltic or Black Sea route or be landed at Archangel and piloted through the anti-Bolshevist lines in North Russia cannot be learned.

The State Department has cabled to foreign capitals an explanation of the purposes of this Government in deporting these anarchists and stating that the precaution has been taken to request safe conduct and humane treatment at the hands of the authorities "under whose jurisdiction they will pass en route to Soviet Russia." The statement reads:

"There are being deported from the United States to Soviet Russia about 250 citizens of Russia who are undesirable here. These persons, while enjoying the hospitality of this country, have conducted themselves in a most obnoxious manner; and while enjoying the benefits and living under the protection of this Government have plotted its overthrow.

"They are a menace to law and order. They hold theories which are antagonistic to the orderly processes of modern civilization. They have indulged in practices which tend to subvert the rights which the Constitution of the United States guarantees to its citizens. They are arrayed in opposition to government, to decency, to justice. They plan to apply their destructive theories by violence in derogation of law. They are anarchists. They are persons of such character as to be undesirable in the United States of America and are being sent whence they came. The deportation is in accordance with the law.

"Precaution has been taken to request for them safe conduct and humane treatment at the hands of the authorities under whose jurisdiction they will pass en route to Soviet Russia."

Investigation of Russian propaganda in the United States will be begun early in the new year by a subcommittee of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, named today by Senator Lodge. The subcommittee, headed by Senator Moses, includes Borah, Knox, Pomerene, and Shields.

The subcommittee will work under a resolution, authorizing it to inquire into the activities of Russians in this country in behalf of the Soviet system and those in opposition to it.

Some members of the subcommittee said today that the inquiry was expected to show the attitude of the Government toward all factions in Russia which had sent agents here, how much money has been given, officially or otherwise, to any factions, and to determine the status of Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, who claims to be the Soviet Government's envoy, and of H. Bakhmetieff, who is officially recognized as the Russian Ambassador.

In connection with the inquiry into M. Bakhmetieff's position, Senators said they wished to learn more of the activities of an associate, who, according to information laid before members of the subcommittee, had been received at State Department.

BILL TO SUPPRESS REDS.

Representative Siegel's Measure a Combination of Ten Former Bills.

Representative Isaac Siegel, member of the House committee inquiring into the immigration service, yesterday gave out an abstract of a bill which, if passed, will go far, he thinks, in solving the Red problem. The bill is a combination of ten former measures, and, introduced by Representative James Husted, will be reported out on Jan. 5 by the House Sub-Judiciary Committee. It characterizes criminal anarchy as the doctrine that organized government should be defeated, changed or destroyed by force or violence or by assassination, and provides that no person shall:

1. Advocate, advise or teach the changing, defeating or destroying the Government of the United States, its Constitution, laws, &c., or the assassination of its President or other officers.

2. Print, publish, edit, issue, circulate, sell, distribute or display any paper, book, document, picture adverse to the best interests of this Government.

3. Justify by word or in writing the assassination or assault of any executive or other officer of the United States.

4. Organize or become a member of, or voluntarily assemble with any society, or group, to teach or advocate such doctrines.

5. Contribute, receive or disburse money to or from persons, partnerships, corporations, or associations for the dissemination of criminal anarchy.

6. Import any matter declared by this act to be non-mailable from one State to another or into a place in the jurisdiction of the United States.

7. Display or exhibit at any meeting, parade, gathering, public or private, any red flag or banner or emblem symbolic of anarchy.

8. Assemble with another person to advocate or teach anarchy and such assembly of two persons or more is unlawful.

9. Conviction under this act shall carry punishment of a fine of not more than $20,000 or imprisonment of not more than ten years, or both.

An alien, said Representative Siegel, convicted under the provisions of the pending bill would at the expiration of his sentence be deported and forever thereafter debarred from entering the United States. Conviction of a naturalized citizen under the act would be deemed sufficient to cancel his naturalization certificate.

ROBBERS GET BONUS MONEY

Holdup Men Take $4,000 from Ice Company's Messenger.

While James Pringle was leaving the Bronx National Bank at 149th Street and Third Avenue on Monday morning with $4,000 in cash to be distributed as bonuses among the employes of the James Pringle Ice Company, Inc., he was held up by two men and forced to relinquish the money.

Pringle had stepped into an automobile and was just starting away from the bank when a taxicab manoeuvred into the path of the automobile and then slackened its pace so that two men were able to jump to the running board of Pringle's car. After threatening Pringle with revolvers they snatched the bag of money and ran. Although a traffic policeman took up the chase, the two men escaped by running into an apartment house at 149th Street and Courtlandt Avenue, the Bronx, and thence out the back door.

The police of the Morrisania Police Station denied knowledge of the crime and the officials of the bank knew nothing about it. Mr. Pringle announced to the employes in his office at 3,240 Broadway, that the bonus would be given, despite the theft.

A plan to steal the bonuses of Boody McLellan & Co. of 111 Broadway was disclosed yesterday by Louis Palladino, a messenger, who said he had refused to take part in the plot. Albert J. Burns of 453 Lincoln Avenue, Brooklyn, another messenger of the firm, was arrested by the police on the charge of implication in a conspiracy to commit robbery. He said he was a veteran of the 105th Field Artillery.

According to Palladino, the suggestion was made to him that he was to submit to having himself "tapped on the head" when he came out of the bank of the Manhattan Company with the $5,000 bonus money. Later, he said, the money was to be devided if he consented to the plan. The police are hunting for another messenger who was accused by Palladino.

TWELVE WAREHOUSES UNITE

Independent Company Completes a Merger Involving $3,000,000.

A deal involving about $3,000,000 was consummated yesterday by the Independent Warehouses, Inc., when it added to its present holdings a chain of warehouses in the metropolitan district of New York heretofore operated by the Mercantile Warehouse Company.

The Independent Warehouses, Inc., was recently inaugurated by the Guaranty Trust Company and the Liberty National Bank of New York.

The new holdings take in the following warehouses: Greenwich, Laight, and Hubert Streets, comprising 200,000 square feet, especially adapted to the storage of silks and other valuable textiles; 15 Vestry Street and 36 Laight Street, 30,000 square feet; 53-55 Beach Street and 405 Greenwich Street, 52,000 square feet; 459-463 Washington Street, 43,500 square feet. The company now has a total of twelve storage warehouses in New York.

BOY BLACKMAILER PAROLED

Tried to Extort $5,000 from Uncle Who Had Been in Prison.

John X. Richardson, 17 years old, of 665 Sumner Avenue, Newark, N. J., charged with sending blackmailing letters to his uncle, demanding $5,000, under threat of exposing the uncle's past, pleaded guilty yesterday before Judge Chatfield, in the Federal court in Brooklyn. A suspended sentence was imposed, and Richardson was parolled in the custody of his mother until Jan. 13.

More than twenty-five years ago the uncle was convicted and sentenced to a term in prison. Since then he has become wealthy, and it is said that not even his own sons know of the prison term. The uncle's name was suppressed from the proceedings, by agreement between Jugde Chatfield and United States District Attorney Leroy W. Ross.

TELLS OF A THREAT 'TO FRAME' DETZER

Former Army Man Declares Soldier Said He Would "Get" Officer Now on Trial.

LIEUT. COL. ELSER TESTIFIES

Says Accused Captain Did Much to Clean Le Mans Camp of Criminals.

Captain Karl W. Detzer, who is before a general court-martial on Governors Island charged with cruelty to military prisoners at Le Mans, France, was "framed" by a group of prisoners headed by Sergeant Frank Hoyt, now believed to be a deserter in France, according to the testimony given yesterday by Fred Marlow of Oklahoma City, Okla., a former Lieutenant in the 308th Military Police Company, commanded by Detzer.

Frequent objections to Marlow's testimony were made by Major William F. Kelly, Trial Judge Advocate, on the ground that the witness was giving hearsay evidence in relating his conversations with Hoyt.

Lieutenant Heffernan said that, owing to the fact that Hoyt is carried on the rolls as a deserter in France, he would not be present for the trial, much as the defense would desire to have him.

"Don't be too sure of that," commented Major Kelly mysteriously.

When Marlow was recalled, following argument over one of the objections, he told that he visited Hoyt when the Sergeant had been placed in solitary confinement by Captain Detzer for brutality to prisoners. He said that Hoyt asked him, "Lieutenant, is Captain Detzer doing anything to get me out?" He told the prisoner, "No," the witness said, and then Hoyt exclaimed: "If Detzer does not get me out of here, I am going to get him. Yates, Lacey, and these other men here prisoners with me will all go together and get him. Tell Captain Detzer so."

Marlow then related another conversation he had with Hoyt in Brest on the last night Hoyt was officially seen in France. He said that Hoyt told him he had been given a twenty-four-hour leave of absence by the Judge Advocate's Department, and added: "You can bet when they look for me they will not find me on my wife's front porch."

Major Kelly, in his cross-examination of Marlow, asked: "Did you think you were doing your duty as an officer in not apprehending Hoyt the night you met him in Brest and he flatly told you he was going to desert the service of the United States?"

Marlow replied that he did not think it his duty, as Hoyt was still on leave. The witness admitted, however, that he told Hoyt: "You're lucky you got away. You had better beat it."

The witness also testified that Sergeant U. S. Madden, who was accused by Murray Phillips, a crippled veteran, of having robbed him of 5,000 francs and having handed half that amount to Captain Detzer on July 17 or 18, could not have committed the alleged offense because he, too, was in solitary confinement at the time.

Lieut. Col. Max A. Elser, who was in the office of the Provost Marshal at Le Mans, came from his station in San Francisco to testify as a character witness for Captain Detzer. This officer stated that following the armistice 300,000 troops were quartered in the Le Mans area and that maintenance of discipline was a serious matter. He declared that Captain Detzer aided materially in cleaning up Le Mans of criminals.

The trial will continue today.

ANOTHER CRIME TRAIL LEADS TO POLICEMEN

Two Arrests Yesterday Connect Brooklyn Patrolmen with Sheffield Farms Co.'s Robbery.

The names of the two Brooklyn policemen who were indicted last week in a $20,000 fur robbery were woven into another story of crime yesterday by two men arrested in connection with the theft of $30,000 in cash from the safe of the Sheffield Farms Company at 531 West Twenty-eighth Street on Dec. 1 last. Details of the new allegations against the policemen were withheld by Inspector John J. Cray, pending investigation.

When Inspector Cray, in command of detectives, took personal charge of the search for the men who blew the Sheffield Farms safe he assigned two men to the case with instructions to clear it up regardless of the time needed for the job. Following a devious trail, the detectives learned that, in burning open the safe with acetylene torches, the burglars had fitted the gas tanks with peculiar copper tips.

After a long search the detectives found the store where the burglars had purchased these tips and the clerk remembered having made the sale to a hunchback. The clerk was taken to the picture gallery at Police Headquarters and there picked out the picture of George "Humpty" Williams as the man to whom he had sold the tips. Williams finished a fourteen-year term in the New Jersey State Prison in November.

In another long search the detectives traced Williams to a room at 108 Charles Street, where he had lived with Edward Werle, who has been identified by employes of the bank in Roselle, N. J., as one of seven men who held up the cashiers there in October and who is now held in $50,000 bail in the same fur robbery in which charges have been made against Patrolmen Herman Crause and Peter Rueger of the Atlantic Avenue station in Brooklyn.

According to Inspector Cray, Werle told them what he knew of the Sheffield Farms burglary and mentioned the names of the two policemen. The two prisoners held in the burglary are Timothy O'Meara of 414 West Twenty-ninth Street and Orren McCullen, an ex-employe of the milk company, of 461 West Twenty-sixth Street. According to the police, these prisoners also mentioned the names of the policemen.

Liner Aground in Norfolk Harbor.

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 23.—The Old Dominion steamer Madison, with eighty-two passengers aboard, ran ashore off Craney Island, Norfolk Harbor, in a heavy fog tonight soon after leaving here for New York. Tugs were sent to the vessel's assistance.

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CHILDREN RUN RIOT AT CHRISTMAS FETE

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sand children had congregated in front of the building.

Children Follow Clowns.

From 6 to 7 o'clock several thousand more children pushed their way through the armory doors. The auditorium was packed from side to side, leaving scarcely enough room for the women on the committee and for the patrolmen to move about.

The children originally went to places assigned to them, the armory being divided into sections by precincts, but after the show got under way and the clowns from "Happy Days" at the Hippodrome made their appearance in the disguise of elephants, zebras and other animals, the youngsters no longer could be controlled. They rushed from the places assigned to them and followed the clowns about the armory floor. The police were powerless to get them back in their places.

It was hard to tell just what progress had been made in carrying out the prepared program, which included the thirty clowns from the Hippodrome; cartoons by Frank Schaefer, and a special movie, when at 8:30 o'clock the children made a rush for the tables on which the presents had been deposited. Realizing that it would be next to impossible to get the children back in their places and await the appointed time for the distribution of the presents, a signal was given by members of the committee in charge and an effort was made to form the children in line. The line grew until it appeared to include all the children in the hall.

Children Jostle Policemen.

Many of the policemen, eager to see the children of their precincts receive their presents, also headed for the tables and upon returning to their precincts booths in many cases were hauled and mauled by the rushing youngsters. Children fought and scratched each other for the possession of dolls and other toys and packages of presents. Many of the children received gifts, only to see them torn from their arms by other youngsters.

Orders finally were given to get the children out of the auditorium, as the only expedient to restore order. A number of chaperones were outspoken in their denunciation of the arrangement.

"This is an outrage," said Mrs. Jennie Harris, who said she lived at 446 East Eighty-fourth Street. "I came to this armory with my twenty-eight children, leaving Public School 66 at First Avenue and Eighty-eighth Street, shortly after 2 o'clock, and here we are. The little ones with me are hungry, cold and disconsolate over the treatment that has been accorded them. Out of the 460 children who came from my precinct, only sixty have been able to get presents."

Miss M. Brown of 450 East Eighty-eighth Street said she brought thirty-seven children to the armory and all were disappointed.

Mrs. Julia Lehman, a Captain of the Women's Reserves at the East Twenty-second Street Station, who said she lived at 346 East Twenty-fourth Street, said that out of 300 children she had charge of only ten received presents. "I think it is highly outrageous, and, believe me, it's a pretty rough deal to hand a child."

Continuing with the program after the house had been partially emptied, the Liberty Chorus of 1,000 voices and the New Symphony Orchestra, L. Camilliero, conductor, rendered carols and other selections, and Julia Arthur brought the evening to a close by reciting "The Night Before Christmas," which was heartily applauded.

For some days Mrs. Clough Cosby Oberton, Chairman of the Committee of Women Precinct Captains, with one woman from each of the thirty police precincts in Manhattan and the Bronx, had been busy sifting out the neediest cases. These were given cards of admission to the armory, and arrangements were made for their transportation to and from the festival. The entertainment at the armory was arranged for children between 8 and 12 years old, the kiddies from 4 to 8 years being cared for at the precinct station houses. Miss Isabelle Lowden, sister of Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, Secretary of the Liberty Chorus, had general charge of the celebration.

Included in the gifts arranged for the children were more than 5,000 dolls, 2,300 of which had been dressed by pupils of Washington Irving, Wadleigh, and Julia Richman High Schools. A small bundle of clothing besides the customary Christmas tree goodies had been arranged for each child.

Celebrations in Some Stations.

At some of the precinct stations celebrations are being held this year. The first was held at the Beach Street Station at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon when $15,000 worth of presents were distributed among 1,500 poor children of the Fourth Precinct. Similar celebrations are to be held in five other stations within the next few days.

Captain Charles McKinney, who is in command of the Beach Street Station, told the children the presents had been donated by the merchants of the precinct. Commissioner Wallis spoke briefly on the birth of Christ, after which the distribution of gifts was begun. Exclusive of the confections, each bag distributed contained presents valued at about $10.

The third of a series of Christmas entertainments for the 750 children of the Greenwich Settlement House was given yesterday afternoon at 27 Barrow Street. "The Toy Shop" and other Christmas sketches were presented, following which ice cream and cake were served. This afternoon a Christmas tree party will be given for the younger children.

More than 500 sailors whose ships are in the Port of New York will be given a Christmas Eve party tonight at the Sailors' Home and Institute of the American's Seamen's Friend Society, on the North River waterfront.

Y. M. C. A. to Present Gift Boxes.

The Y. M. C. A. will present gift boxes containing cigars, cigarettes, tobacco and candy to the crews of every warship anchored here. At Victory Hut in Battery Park the canteen workers will serve a Christmas dinner to all service men, and there will also be a Christmas tree, informal dancing, movies and a sketch by canteen workers.

On all the warships in this district vaudeville programs will be given by "Y" entertainers.

One thousand baskets provided by Vincent Astor and containing as many Christmas dinners will be distributed in Eighty-fourth Street, near Third Avenue, this morning by the Social Service Bureau of Bellevue Hospital. Each basket contains two four-pound chickens, one quart of potatoes, one quart of onions, one pound of rice, one pound of white granulated sugar, one-half pound of butter, one-half pound of coffee, one-half pound of tea, one large can of tomatoes, one large loaf of bread, and one large cake.

The Social Service Bureau also has arranged for a series of Christmas entertainments, the first of which will be held at the Bureau's clubhouse, Twenty-fifth Street, near First Avenue, tonight, when children from Bellevue's medical clinic will be entertained. A similar entertainment for poor mothers and for children under 6 years of age will be given at the same place on the night of Dec. 29. Friday evening of this week gifts from wealthy people will be received by children who are at Bellevue Hospital suffering from heart trouble. On the same evening Mrs. Phelps Stokes will entertain fifty crippled children at her home. Many other events have also been arranged for the children at Bellevue.

Party at Leslie Hall.

Mrs. Selig Berg and Mrs. Jeanette Miller of 411 West End Avenue have rented Leslie Hall for Christmas morning, and will distribute from a Christmas tree toys and confections to the crippled children of Dr. Frauenthal's Hospital. Donations have been received from Mrs. Albert Cohen, Mrs. Arthur Wise, Mrs. E. Sachs, Miss E. Wise, Mrs. L. Frank, Mrs. L. L. Stein, Mrs. H. Abels, Mrs. Charles Rose, and Herbert Wise.

The large Christmas tree in Madison Square, which is arranged annually by an anonymous committee, will be illuminated tonight for the first time and exercises will begin at 8 o'clock. There will be a community chorus of 200 voices and a band concert led by Harry Barnhart. Boy Scouts will distribute books containing the Christmas carols to be sung.

Reviving an old New England custom, Christmas cheer will be brought to lonely neighborhoods throughout the city tonight by Community Councils. Five automobile trucks carrying large Christmas trees, brilliantly lighted and elaborately decorated, will tour the city. Groups of children clad in the costumes of the allied nations will be assembled about each tree and will sing carols.

"Town Officers" in Trucks.

The "Mayor," "Aldermen," and "Town Crier" of the average old-fashioned New England town will also be on each truck. One truck will visit the lower east side and will leave the Municipal Building at 5 o'clock. A second truck will visit Yorkville and will leave Jan Hus Neighborhood House, 351 East Seventy-fourth Street, at 5 o'clock. The third truck will leave Urban Lodge headquarters, 125th Street and Seventh Avenue, at the same time and will visit different neighborhoods in Harlem. Another truck will leave the headquarters of Hamilton Community Council, 503 West 145th Street, and the fifth truck will visit Greenwich Village.

The annual Christmas distribution of toys and presents by the police of the West Forty-seventh Street station to the poor children of the neighborhood began at noon yesterday and continued until 8 o'clock last night. More than 1,800 Christmas gifts, it is estimated, were made to boys and girls ranging in age from 2 to 12 years. A large Christmas tree illuminated with red, white, and blue lights was in the rear room of the police station, and Michael G. Byrne, a Lieutenant of the Police Reserves, was Santa Claus.

Every hotel in the city is crowded for the Christmas holidays. Managers said last night that there never was a time in New York hotel history when the big hotels housed so many people. Nearly every room was taken yesterday at the Astor, McAlpin, Waldorf, Pennsylvania, Vanderbilt, Biltmore, Commodore, and other big hotels. There are many children in all the hotels, and arrangements have been made in nearly all for Christmas trees for the youngsters.

At the Astor a chimney is being built in one of the suites so that Santa Claus may more easily pay his accustomed visit to little Miss Marguerite Armstrong of Chicago, who is the guest there of her uncle, J. A. Smith of San Antonio, Tex. They arrived only a few days ago and the little girl was much perplexed when she discovered that there was no fireplace in the suite.

HOME FOLKS GREET PERSHING AS 'JOHN'

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of Laclede, Dr. Kate Brownlee of Brookfield, and Mrs. Mary Jones of Laclede.

One of the "goodies" for which the General saved room was a fried dried apple pie made especially for him by "Aunt" Susan Hewitt, a negress, 78 years old, who had given him many a pie of the same variety when he was a youngster. "Aunt" Susan had been invited to the dinner, but she is an invalid, so Pershing made it a point to pay her a call and tell her her pies were as tasty as ever.

After the dinner Mr. Bigger, representing his playmates, friends, and neighbors of Laclede presented a loving cup to the General, and G. A. Smith of Chillicothe, Mo., gave him two red apples. Mr. Smith was a member of the Board of Examiners that passed on Pershing's application to enter West Point.

An official welcome was then held in front of the home. Governor Gardner delivered the address of welcome and presented a gold medal to Pershing on behalf of the State. Colonel George W. Martin, a one-armed veteran of the civil war, welcomed him to Linn County.

Replying to Governor Gardner's address, General Pershing said:

"It was here that I learned the lessons of patriotism and devotion to duty. These lessons were handed down to me in my youth by my father and my mother. It was here that I learned a deep sense of duty to my country and to my God.

"The lesson of service was taught to me by my parents, whose staunch characters impressed it upon me, and caused me to follow the path of duty. Whatever service I may have rendered in cooperation with or in command of our young manhood I owe to my mother's early teachings. Many of you knew her and loved her. Too often we have been slow to value the influence of our mothers.

"In late years I have come to realize it. During the war it was borne in on me. We all felt that the wonderful loyalty and devotion of the women of America were sustaining us. I am very much overcome with emotion to be thus honored today. The circumstances are overwhelming. To receive such an emblem in the old yard where I romped as a boy brings a choke in my throat, and I can't just say what's in my heart. No honor has come to me greater than this in the midst of those whom I love and cherish."

At 3 P. M. there was a public reception in the opera house. Later in the afternoon and evening the General called on old friends. He departed at 8 P. M. for Lincoln, Neb.

J. A. Crowder of Milan, who at the Pershing celebration here on July 4 last proposed Pershing as a candidate for President in 1920, is still promoting his boom. Crowder is going to "feel the General out," he says.

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 23.—General John J. Pershing will spend more than a week visiting members of his family and friends here following his arrival tomorrow from Laclede.

He will be met at Omaha by Governor McKelvie and Mayor Miller and a reception committee headed by the State's Adjutant General, H. J. Paul, all of whom will accompany him to this city. A public reception Friday evening at the State Capitol is among the functions planned for the visit.

General Pershing made Lincoln his home more than twenty-five years ago, when he was commandant of the University of Nebraska cadets.

ROBBERS BATTLE FOR $100,000 GEMS

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here at 815 Park Avenue, was staying temporarily at the Knickerbocker.

The Brodericks had visited several Fifth Avenue jewel shops yesterday and one of the ornaments on their dresser yesterday morning was a pearl necklace valued at about $50,000. Other jewels, purchased during Monday afternoon, were in the room when the couple returned from the opera on Monday night.

At 6 o'clock yesterday morning Mr. Broderick was awakened by a noise at the door of the suite adjoining his rooms. As he tiptoed across the room the door opened and a man entered. Quickly the man saw the white night suit of Broderick and struck him on the head with a hammer before he could utter a sound.

A second man entered the room and together the two men left Broderick unconscious on the floor and sought to stifle the screams of his wife. They tied her tightly with strips of bed clothing after they had inflicted a slight wound on her wrist and beaten her severely. Broderick was quickly regaining his senses during this operation.

Apparently the two burglars feared to try to escape through the hall and down the elevator, lest some one might have heard the screams and be waiting for them outside the door. They opened the windows, prepared a small handhold with torn bed clothing and prepared to make their "human fly" descent to the third-story ledge.

As they began the descent Broderick began again to fight them, and they gave him a second and more effective hammer blow on the head. He regained consciousness again in time to get to the lower part of the hotel to see the tabasco sauce go down ignominiously before the walnut night sticks.

Texan Had No Weapon.

He was covered with blood, and as a surgeon from New York Hospital sewed up his scalp he said:

"I left my gun in Texas this time because I heard it was against the law to have one in your possession here and because I never would have expected any trouble. Those tabasco burglars certainly are the hot stuff."

The two burglars were taken to the West Thirtieth Street Station, where they were the curiosity of the policemen and detectives all day.

"They certainly had some nerve," said Patrolman Frayler, "trying to fight a squad of New York cops with tabasco sauce. Why, that's the stuff we eat on oysters!"

A formal statement given out by the management of the Knickerbocker Hotel said that the men registered at the hotel on Monday night and were assigned to the room adjoining that occupied by the Brodericks, although no preference had been expressed. The men signed themselves on the hotel register as Raymond Rodriguez and Ariano Heva of Bridgeport, Conn. At the police station they refused to give their addresses and said they were sailors from Barcelona.

Before the policemen took their prisoners away from the Hotel Knickerbocker a clerk from the Hotel Wallick in Times Square looked at them and said he believed that one of the coats worn by the men had been taken from the room of George Bastany, a guest there, early on Monday morning. The circumstances of the entry into the room on the fourth floor at Wallick's were similar to those of the burglary in the Knickerbocker, he said, the guest awakening in time to prevent loss of all his valuables. The management of Wallick's denied last night that any such robbery had taken place there.

After surgeons had treated the two burglars for the wounds inflicted upon them in their fight with the police, detectives were summoned from all the big hotels in the expectation that the two burglars might have been the men responsible for some of the hotel jewel robberies, which have reached the total loss of between $500,000 and $750,000 in the last six months.

The police said last night that they believed the men had registered in at least eighteen hotels here under various names. Handwriting on the registers is being compared with the signatures of the men on the Knickerbocker books. Detectives from the Hotel Endicott at Columbus Avenue and Eight-first Street said positively that the men had registered there, and similarly positive identifications were made by other hotel men, whose names were not disclosed by the police. Detectives from the Waldorf-Astoria told of having ejected one of the men from the lobby as a suspicious loiterer.

Detectives from a private agency said they believed they had information in their records to show that one of the men, who was deeply pockmarked, was a notorious international thief who had served several terms in foreign prisons.

Because of the hard fight put up by the Texan the two thieves were able to get away with only a few articles valued at about $4,000. These were recovered by the police and restored to the owner. The $50,000 pearl necklace was on the dresser under a pile of clothing and out of sight of the burglars. The recovered articles included a diamond mesh bag, diamond pins and studs, and two watches.

Detectives said yesterday that the only touch needed by the burglary and pursuit to make it more dramatic was that of Enrico Caruso, clad in his Don Juan suit and armed with a dirk, chasing the thieves around the third-story ledge. Caruso's suite is on the seventh floor of the Knickerbocker, and he slept through all the commotion, as did most of the other guests.

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LAUD AND CONDEMN HOME RULE PLAN

London Press Generally Consider It Better Than Any Previously Put Forward.

NORTHCLIFFE SUPPORTS IT

Dublin Papers Denounce Two-Parliament Proposal as Attempt to Divide the Country.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Aside from one or two irreconcilable anti-Home Rule journals, London newspapers this morning give, on the whole, a favorable reception to the Government's new scheme for Irish self-government. None, however, expresses genuine expectation of the success of the plan.

While it is recognized that such a bill as Premier Lloyd George outlined yesterday—the fourth Home Rule measure to be presented to Parliament—will be absolutely rejected by a large section of the Irish people and regarded with suspicion and distrust by others, it is contended it deserves to be fairly considered and tried.

The Daily News, perhaps the most thorough champion of Home Rule of the London newspapers, and a severe critic of Premier Lloyd George and the coalition Government, says:

"The Government bill gives Ireland a greater degree of autonomy, since it sents up an Irish Parliament, and it manifestly contemplates the probability of a united Irish Parliament. In the desperate situation in which Ireland now stands, this offer, so far as Englishmen can judge, should not be rejected out of hand, assuming it to be honestly put forward."

Belief that the bill offers the only possible way out of the Irish tangle is expressed by the Liberal Daily Chronicle, which says that, on the whole, the measure appears generous. Foreseeing the plan will be opposed nearly everywhere in Ireland, largely because "none of the contending factions is really willing to be fair to any of the others," the newspaper says:

"The Government, the British people, and the British Parliament must recognize and discount these oppositions in advance. Only in such a way can any change which is either just or workable be achieved in Ireland."

Northcliffe Press Approves.

The Northcliffe press, which for a long time has been attacking the Prime Minister, especially over his handling of the Irish problem, comes to his support. The Times, for instance, says: "While we cannot regard the Government proposals as ideal, the alternative to their success would, we believe, be little short of national disaster. We have, therefore, no hesitation in lending them constructive support. We have often had occasion to oppose the Prime Minister when we have believed him to have lost sight of the great principles which guided him in some of the grave issues of the war. We recognize gladly that, though in our opinion he failed yesterday fully to comprehend some of the issues involved in the Irish question, he nevertheless struck a note which for a long time past he has failed to strike. His statement of his conception of the relations between these islands and of the gravity of the task which he has undertaken was not unworthy of his great office. With all the earnestness at our command we urge upon him and upon his Government to go forward, and to go forward boldly."

The Daily Mail says that courage, sincerity and imagination have gone to the making of the Government's Irish scheme. "It is a better scheme than any previous Government has produced," it says. "Embodied in a bill, even with such defects as mark it, the scheme should win the acceptance of all men of good will in all parties."

Representing the extreme Unionist position, The Morning Post says:

"It is a bad settlement—bad for Ireland because it does not settle the Irish question, and bad for Great Britain because it weakens the United Kingdom. It is merely the climax of long betrayal. We have chosen as a rooted policy to be friends to our enemies and enemies to our friends."

While it is realized everywhere that no support of the measure may be expected from Ireland, hope is expressed that when English opinion has passed the scheme into law men will be ultimately found in Ireland to give it effect and evolve gradually a peaceful settlement.

The Daily Herald, Labor organ, quotes the following opinions:

George Russell, the Irish poet, declared:

"There is nothing in the proposals calculated to produce reconciliation, and there is no reason why the Sinn Fein should cease working for the destruction of the British Empire. Under Lloyd George's proposals Great Britain would retain complete control over taxation and the trade policy and economic development of Ireland, which means that Ireland would be given, not self-government, but certain administrative powers."

William O'Brien, Secretary of the Irish Labor Party and Trade Union Congress, said:

"The plan is unworthy of serious consideration. It is manifestly for export only."

South Irish Papers Hostile.

DUBLIN, Dec. 23.—In commenting upon the Home Rule speech made by Premier Lloyd George in the House of Commons yesterday, The Freemen's Journal says Mr. Lloyd George, "in the presence of the American Ambassador, but in the absence of every representative of the majority of the Irish people, explained to the House his panacea for the ills of Ireland."

"Even the few Irish Nationist members who have survived the Prime Minister's past treacheries and betrayals absented themselves," the newspaper continues. "They probably had a forecast that their gesture of contempt would be warmly approved by the whole Irish nation and race. As a matter of fact they were merely obeying the command of their dead leader, given when he and they withdrew from the House upon the first declaration of the Prime Minister's intention of permanently partitioning their country."

The Irish Times says that for many reasons, "some good, some bad, some wise and some mad," three-quarters of the Irish people will reject the bill.

"Its principle is hateful alike to the Unionists and Nationalists," the newspaper says. "They know national ideals and the ancestral spirit of a common patriotism cannot persist in a divided country. They know the fantastic homogeneity which the Government proposes for Ulster Unionists would be an excrescence on the map of Ireland and would be ruinous to the trade and industry of the northern provinces. We yearn for peace, but in the Lloyd George offer we see not peace, but the sword."

GRIFFITH DENOUNCES HOME RULE PROPOSAL

Sinn Fein Leader Bitterly Opposes It—Dr. Ashe Thinks Ulster Will Accept.

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DUBLIN, Dec. 23.—To speak quite frankly, the Premier's proposals for the future government of Ireland do not seem to have many friends over here. There have been so many disappointments in the past that the people have become skeptical as to any promises for the future, and, of course, it is the game of the extremists on both sides to ridicule the idea that Lloyd George's proposals are put forward in good faith.

At the same time I have heard the opinion expressed that this almost universal criticism of the new policy offers the best hope for its future success. I have today obtained statements from two directly opposite quarters. One is from Dr. James Ashe, who formed the Irish Conference Committee which paved the way for the convention of 1917. Ashe described himself to me as an Imperial Nationalist. The other statement is from Arthur Griffith, Acting President of the Sinn Fein organization in the absence of de Valera.

Ashe said:

"If Ulster accepts the scheme I believe it will be a lever for obtaining home rule, and I have reason to believe Ulster will accept. Her attitude has been materially changed of late since the failure of the Government to settle the education question. If we do not accept when Ulster accepts, what are we to do? A republic is unthinkable. Government on the present plan is intolerable. Can we reject an offer of self-government?

"I hate the thought of partition, and have fought against it to the last, but the madness of the Sinn Fein movement has left us with no alternative. They have fought and lost, and they must accept a dictated peace. I believe if the Government plan is once put into operation it will not be long before Ulster and the rest of Ireland will coalesce and work together."

Arthur Griffith gave me the following statement for publication:

"There is nothing for Irishmen to discuss in the English Premier's proposals. They are not intended to be operative. They were made in order to affect and mislead public opinion in America. The English Premier is again today in need of American aid.

"Since the end of the war his Government in Ireland has acted as Russia never acted in Poland. It has declared that duly elected representatives of Ireland form an illegal body and it has arrested and imprisoned the majority of them. It has declared illegal every national and cultural organization. It has suppressed public meetings and the press and has made a collection of money for national purposes, the holding of classes for the study of the Irish language, the investigation of Irish resources and even an exhibition of Irish industries offenses punishable with imprisonment.

"In the whole year 1917 there was a total of 719 acts of aggression against the Irish people. In the last six weeks there has been a total of 3,187 such acts. These included 2,829 militaristic raids on private houses, 162 arrests, 126 sentences of imprisonments by paid Magistrates and court-martial, 27 armed militaristic attacks on peaceful gatherings, 38 proclamations and suppressions, and 4 deportations without charge or trial.

"This shows the intensified provocative manner in which Lloyd George's Government is treating the country which it seeks to make America believe it is anxious to conciliate. While the English Government thus seeks to pose before America it halloos on its dogs in Ireland.

"The British Premier falsely suggests his proposals would give to Ireland the rights of an American State, and that Irish independence is equivalent to American secession. The relations of Ireland and England are not the relations of Illinois or California with Washington. They are fundamentally the former relations of Finland and Poland with Russia, or Bohemia with Austria, or Cuba with Spain.

"If Lloyd George and his Government desired a settlement with Ireland they could have it in the manner suggested by Ireland's leader, De Valera, when he stated that he was willing to leave it to the arbitrament of the United States."

PREPARE TO SALVAGE LUSITANIA VALUABLES

Divers Will Make Attempt Early in January Without Raising Steamer.

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CORK, Dec. 23.—A firm of divers has been prospecting the position of the sunken Lusitania for some weeks past, with the idea of salving from her valuables worth several thousands of pounds.

The intention is to start the project early in the new year. No attempt will be made to raise the vessel then. As a matter of fact, some experts have asserted it would be impossible to bring her to the surface, owing to the great depth of water where she is lying, but it is understood that if the efforts to salvage valuables is successful an attempt to raise the steamship may be made later in the year.

Irish Lord Mayor Felicitates French

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LONDON, Dec. 23.—The Lord Mayor of Dublin associated himself with a resolution passed by the Port and Docks Board today condemning the attempt on the life of Lord French and congratulating the Viceroy on his providential escape.

Suppression of Newspaper Upheld.

DUBLIN, Dec. 23.—Justice Powell in the Chancery Court today delivered a judgment in which he held the action of the authorities in suppressing The Freeman's Journal to have been justified in law and fact. The injunction application of The Freeman's Journal was dismissed with costs against the newspaper.

Bomb Thrower Buried at Sligo.

BELFAST, Dec. 23.—Irish Volunteers acted as bearers today at the funeral at Ballysodare, Sligo, of Savage, who was killed in the attack on Lord French. The Sinn Fein colors were over the coffin. The graveyard was surrounded by police, but nothing untoward occurred.

Sinn Feiners Seize Explosives.

LISDUFF, County Cavan, Ireland, Dec. 23.—A band of armed men raided the railway works here today, taking the sentries by surprise. The stock of the explosive, gelignite, at the works, was seized by the raiders.

SEVEN ENGLISH WOMEN TO BE MAGISTRATES

Named by Lord Chancellor to Act When Required—Mrs. Lloyd George and Mrs. Humphry Ward in List.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—As the Sex Disqualification Removal act, making women eligible as Magistrates, has been passed, the Lord Chancellor today announced the appointment of the Marchioness of Crewe, the Marchioness of Londonderry, Mrs. David Lloyd George, Mrs. Humphry Ward, Mrs. Sidney Webb, Miss Elizabeth Haldane, and Miss Gertrude Tuckwell to act in that capacity.

They are to constitute also a Women's Advisory Committee to advise the Lord Chancellor as to the fitness of women for magisterial office when vacancies occur. The Lord Chancellor holds that women are especially qualified for work in children's courts, several of which have been established in large cities.

BRITAIN TO GET BACON HERE

Mission in This City Arranges for Product at Low Price.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The British mission in New York has made arrangements by which England is assured of obtaining a regular supply of bacon of good quality at prices based on the cost.

This announcement was made in the House of Commons by George H. Roberts, Food Controller, today in replying to a question as to the activities of the department in protecting British meat consumers from the high prices fixed by American packers.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—"The arrangement with the British was at the cost of hogs, with a fair margin of profit," said E. A. Cudahy of the Cudahy Packing Company tonight.

"Packers in Chicago and the West secured the orders, the quantity being for 70,000,000 to 100,000,000 pounds every three months. The stuff has been exported right along from week to week. There has also been a good business with Germany, and, in the last three months 200,000,000 pounds of lard and meats have been sent to that country."

GEORGE V. DISCUSSES BRITAIN'S PROBLEMS

In Proroguing Parliament King Dwells on Warmth of Anglo-American Relations.

LABOR MATTERS AT FRONT

World Is Watching Britain's Handling of These Questions, Says the King.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The House of Commons was prorogued today until Feb. 10. The session was formally closed by the King's speech of prorogation.

The speech, instead of commencing "My Lords and Gentlemen of the House of Commons," was worded, because of the presence of Lady Astor in the Commons, "My Lords and Members of the House of Commons."

In beginning, the address noted that the deliberation of the plenipotentiaries of the Allies in Paris had been crowned with success and that treaties of peace with Germany, Austria, and Bulgaria had been concluded.

"I signified my approval of the treaty of peace with Germany," the speech continued, "and ratified it. Peace still remains to be concluded with the Ottoman Empire and the Republic of Hungary. I earnestly trust that the necessary negotiations to this purpose will shortly be brought to a satisfactory conclusion.

"I regret that there is no improvement in the unhappy conditions prevailing in Russia and no immediate prospect in that country of the establishment of the constitutional Government which alone can conduce to its permanent prosperity.

"My relations with my allies and associates in the great war remain of the most friendly character and I have every expectation that the close and intimate co-operation which led to the final victory will be long continued to the benefit of all.

Treaty with Persia.

"In August last my Government concluded with the Persian Government an agreement tending to cement the ties of friendship between the two countries, which have so many interests in common, and to promote the welfare and progress of Persia."

The King referred to the visit of the Prince of Wales to Canada and Newfoundland which, he said, "filled my heart with feelings of pride and satisfaction. He subsequently," continued the King, "visited the United States of America, where he was greeted with a warmth and kindliness which will, I am confident, have the happiest effect upon the relations of the British Empire and that great Republic."

Referring to India, the speech said that a measure marking the first stage of the development of a responsible Government had become a law.

"I rely on all my subjects," continued the speech, "to work together for its success. In a proclamation which I am addressing to my Viceroy and to the Princes and the people of India I am expressing my hope that a harmonious political life will steadily be built up on the foundations thus laid, and I am announcing my intention of sending the Prince of Wales to India to inaugurate the new constitution."

To the members of the House of Commons the King gave his thanks for their provision during the year for the public expenditure, which had continued abnormal, largely exceeding the permanent and temporary revenue, and he trusted that next year, with the return of more normal conditions, that the first steps would be taken toward the reduction of the national debt.

Urges Strict Economy.

"The condition of our finances and the state of our credit continue to occupy the serious attention of my Ministers," he went on. "Only by strict economy, both in public and private expenditure, and sustained by increased production, can the country maintain its historic position in commerce and finance."

In addressing the Lords, as well as the members of the Commons, the speech expressed concern over the grave economic position of a large part of Europe. The task of restoring credit and giving industry a new start there, he pointed out, was one of the first conditions of a settled peace. The task, however, was too large for any nation to undertake unaided.

"I was enabled by the liberality of Parliament," the speech continued, "to place a large sum at the disposal of the Supreme Economic Council for the relief of immediate necessities, but that sum is nearly exhausted, and further measures of relief and reconstruction can only be undertaken as the result of joint action by all the nations interested in the restoration of international commerce. My Government would gladly co-operate with the Governments of other countries to this end if a suitable plan can be devised.

"Great progress was made last year with the gigantic task of demobilizing the navy, the army, and the air force, impeded as it had been by the uncertainties of the situation in large parts of Europe and Asia.

"The continued high cost of living, with all its evil consequences, has caused distress throughout the world, although it is lower in the British Isles than elsewhere. The problem of reducing it received your constant consideration, and measures were taken which it is hoped may prevent the charging of unreasonable prices for necessary articles.

"The session was marked by the passage of an unprecedented number of domestic bills dealing with reconstruction in all its aspects. An important measure was passed affecting the conditions of labor.

World Watches Labor Experiment.

"There is no doubt that public opinion throughout the world is deeply interested in the manner in which Britain is dealing with its labor and industrial problem, and I am confident that, though difficult times are not yet past, our course is set fairly toward a renewal of national strength and prosperity.

"I note a steady improvement in industrial conditions. Unemployment, which in the earlier part of the year was unexampled in extent, stands today at a figure comparing favorably with the years prior to the war. This is all the more remarkable considering the immense numbers of men and women discharged from the services and munitions work at home.

"Acts for restoring privileges surrendered during the war and stabilising conditions of employment have done much to avoid friction in the industrial life of the country. The establishment of an industrial court provided machinery for securing a peaceful settlement of disputes and promoting harmony among those engaged in industry. Proposals have been formulated for fixing the maximum number of hours of employment, instituting a minimum wage and making increased provision against unemployment."

LONDON STRIKE PROBABLE.

Intervention by Ministry Gives Little Hope in Theatrical Crisis.

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LONDON, Dec. 23.—Notwithstanding prompt intervention by the Labor Ministry, there seems little hope that the strike of theatrical employes on Boxing Day will be averted. Officials of the men's union have somewhat modified their demands and have given theatre managers till 5 o'clock tomorrow to accept or reject them. Managers, however, are firm in insisting on the arbitrators' award being carried out without modification. John Gatti, President of the Society of West End Managers, declares that the theatres will open on Boxing Day in any circumstances.

As regards the threatened waiters' strike, the Labor Ministry is working hard for a settlement, and tonight there is confident hope that the stoppage of work will be averted.

BUDAPEST CHILDREN WITHOUT CLOTHING

Swiss Commission Finds Condition in the City Appalling—Asks Aid.

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BERNE, Dec. 22.—The members of a Swiss mission who have just returned from an investigation of conditions in Vienna and Budapest declare that, despite the assistance given by America and Europe to the starving population, the conditions are appalling. In Budapest alone hundreds of thousands of children are without boots or clothing and hundreds have suffered frostbitten feet, which must be amputated.

The secretary of the mission, which has called on the International Committee for assistance for the children, declared to THE NEW YORK TIMES correspondent that Budapest is now in a worse state than Vienna. Before the Rumanians left they cleared the city of everything possible, taking away 2,500 railway engines and all the trucks in usable state, besides raiding the shops. They also commandeered or forcibly expropriated cattle in large number and also agricultural implements and carts.

Karl Tuszar, a member of the Hungarian Government, assured the Swiss mission that the Rumanians carried off 40,000,000 kronen worth of goods from Budapest alone. Tuszar, who was imprisoned by the Bolshevists during their misrule in Hungary, assured the mission that the Rumanian régime during the occupation was even worse than the Bolshevist.

LAUNCH CARGO CARRIER NAMED AMERICAN PRESS

Tribute to Loyalty of Newspapers During the War—Miss Stone the Sponsor.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 23.—Miss Elizabeth C. Stone of New York, daughter of Melville E. Stone, General Manager of The Associated Press, named the 6,200-ton cargo carrier launched at Hog Island today American Press as a tribute to the loyalty of newspapers during the war.

She swung a bottle of champagne against the hull of the big vessel, as it started down the ways, so forcibly that the bottle was crashed to bits within its corded mesh and the foaming liquid spattered over her.

Then, led by Matthew C. Brush, President of the American International Shipbuilding Corporation, Miss Stone walked to where a riveter was putting the finishing touches on a ballast tank. Donning his gloves she took the heavy automatic air gun and with Mr. Brush's aid drove two red hot rivets into the metal.

In addition to Miss Stone the launching party included her mother, Mrs. M. E. Stone, Miss A. M. Boyd, Mrs. J. M. Pratt, three of Melville Stone's grandchildren, Herbert S. Stone, Jr.; Melville Stone, 3d, and Eleanor, and J. R. Youatt, Treasurer of The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Thirty-three vessels totaling 216,750 deadweight tons were delivered to the Shipping Board during the first twenty days of December. Launchings in that period numbered twenty-four, aggregating 136,168 deadweight tons.

POLK WANTS ALLIES TO SUCCOR AUSTRIA

Says That United Action Should Be Taken to Prevent Her from Being Crippled.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Under Secretary of State Frank L. Polk, who has been in Paris as a member of the American commission to negotiate peace, expressed the opinion after his return to Washington today that some united action by the Allies should be taken to prevent Austria from becoming so badly shattered as to cripple her for many years to come. He described the situation in Austria as being pitiful and desperate.

The Washington Government has not been advised of any special measures adopted by the Supreme Council at Paris for the relief of Austria, but it appeared from the attitude of officials here that any practicable plan of relief would have support from the Washington Government.

Heavy indemnities have been arranged for Austria, and the statement is made that that country does not now look to be an inviting field for placing foreign loans. Italy is understood to be willing to aid Austria financially to some extent, and also economically, but on Italy's terms. The economical situation of Austria is considered one of the worst in Europe.

NEW YORK FACTORIES NOW AVERAGE $25 WAGE

Workers Are Now Getting 100 Per Cent. More Weekly Pay Than in 1914.

ALBANY, Dec. 23.—The average weekly earnings of factory workers in New York State passed the $25 mark in November, the State Industrial Commission reported today. This is 100 per cent. higher than the average for June, 1914. The November weekly average was $25.37, which is 96 cents, or 4 per cent., above the October average, and 54 cents, or 2 per cent., above the previous high mark of September.

For all branches of manufacturing in the State the total payroll expenditures were 15 per cent. higher last month than in November, 1918, although the number of workers was 2 per cent. lower. Compared with June, 1914, the number of workers last month was 18 per cent. greater, and the total payroll expenditures showed an increase of 137 per cent.

BOLO'S WIDOW WEDS.

Ex-Wife of Frenchman Executed for Treason Is Married at Nice.

NICE, Dec. 23.—Mme. Henriette Soumaille, widow of Bolo Pacha, who was put to death in April, 1919, for treason, was married today to Alexander Prat.

Mme. Soumaille is 52 years old and M. Prat 62. He is said to be wealthy.

MUSTAPHA KEMAL SLAIN.

Smyrna Dispatch to Rome Reports Death of Turkish Nationalist.

ROME, Dec. 23.—Mustapha Kemal, leader of the Turkish insurgents in Anatolia and head of the Turkish Nationalist movement in Asia Minor, has been assassinated, according to a Smyrna dispatch to Le Temps.

PROCLAIMS NEW ACT FOR INDIA SELF-RULE

King George Says That It Points Way to Fully Responsible Government.

URGES RACE FORBEARANCE

Elected Representatives to Share in the Duties of Administration Hereafter.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—King George issued a proclamation today announcing the new measure giving India a larger degree of self-government.

The proclamation characterizes the Government bill as a historic act, giving representation long desired by the natives. It calls for the determination of the people and the officials to work together for the common purpose of making the new plan of government a success.

The proclamation says in part:

"Another epoch is reached today in the annals of India. I give royal assent to the act, which takes its place among the great historic measures passed by the Parliament of this realm for the better government of India and the greater contentment of her people.

"The act, which has now become a law, intrusts elected representatives of the people with a definite snare in the Government and points the way to a fully responsible Government hereafter. If, as I confidently hope, the policy which this act inaugurates should achieve its purpose, the results will be momentous in the story of human progress.

"I have watched with understanding and sympathy the growing desire of my Indian people for representative institutions. Their scope has been extended, stage by stage, until there now lies before us a definite step on the road to responsible Government. I shall watch your progress along this road.

"The path will not be easy, and in the march toward the goal there will be the need of perseverance and mutual forbearance between all sections and races of my people in India. I am confident that those high qualities will be forthcoming.

"I rely on the new popular assemblies to interpret wisely the wishes of those they represent and not forget the interests of the masses who cannot yet be admitted to the franchise. I rely on the leaders of the people and the ministers of the future to face responsibility and endure misrepresentation, and to sacrifice much for the common interests of the State, remembering that true patriotism transcends party and communal boundaries.

"A new era is opening. Let it begin with a common determination among my people and my officers to work together for the common purpose."

EX-EMPRESS ZITA IS ILL.

Said to Have a Serious Attack of Pneumonia at Prangins.

GENEVA, Dec. 23.—Ex-Empress Zita of Austria is reported to be seriously ill with pneumonia at Prangins. She was recently caught in a snowstorm lightly clad. Zita, who in September gave birth to a son, is not sufficiently strong to withstand the rigors of a Swiss Winter.

Little Girl Badly Burned.

Matilda Rusich, 4 years old, of 644 Tenth Avenue, was taken to Bellevue Hospital yesterday suffering from severe burns about the face and body, received while playing with matches. The child's mother, Mrs. Mary Rusich, had been out shopping and had just returned when she heard her little daughter scream. She extinguished the flames with a blanket.

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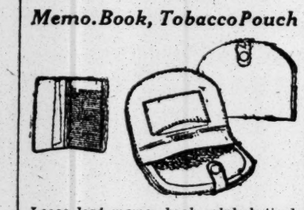

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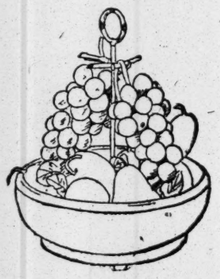

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Petit Journal Asserts That Neglect Has Cost More Than Actual Theft.

SUPPLIES RUINED BY RAIN

Great Quantities of Food and Machinery Exposed to the Elements at Montoir.

By EDWIN L. JAMES.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—The ramifications of the scandal of American stocks bought by the French Government from the United States War Department spread daily. A military court at Mayence is now trying seven officers for complicity in the shipment into Germany of supplies intended for the devastated regions. Ninety-eight merchants are awaiting trial in the same case. Twenty-three arrests have taken place at Bordeaux. Seven accused persons are held at St. Nazaire. Twenty or more other scattering arrests have been made, and three Government officials are in custody in Paris. It appears that there was a big scheme for profiteering in and even stealing the stocks which the French Government bought and then did not watch well enough.

On top of the exposé of illegal sales and thefts of American stocks made by the Matin, the Petit Journal yesterday asserted that what was illegally sold and stolen resulted in a loss to the Government which was as nothing compared to the loss which it suffered from the deterioration of the American stocks through the Government's carelessness. It told in great detail of conditions at the Montoir camp and called for immediate action by the heads of the Government.

"By the side of an empty hangar," the Petit Journal's article said, "one sees piles of automobile tires and inner tubes, worth millions of francs, which the rain and sun have ruined. Beside another hangar one sees an electric crane, which rust has ruined. This cost 20,000 francs, and now it is not worth carting away. On all sides railways are broken and knee deep in mud. There are masses of automobiles, which fall apart; side cars, which melt away in ruin; fire pumps, entirely abandoned to the elements. In an open field there are 40,000 sacks of potatoes, and more than 2,000 sacks are worthless. Near by something looks like a snow bank. It is rice, which runs from torn bags, piled in the open. Here we come upon a sticky, gummy mess, mixed with mud. It is chocolate, upon which the rain is slowly falling.

"The visitor may march across a field of safety razors, another of cigarettes, and a third of carbon papers. Afar off we see uncertain forms sticking up from the mud. We go nearer. They are sewing machines from which the water drips. Here is a hangar full of mattresses; but, since there is no roof on the hangar, we see our fine mattresses in swimming. In a shed are piled writing machines. They were new when the Americans turned them over, but since no one has taken care of them they have sadly deteriorated. And outside, under the rain, in the mud, lost in the midst of enormous confusion, good food goes to ruin. Millions are lost every day."

The writer of this article says that entrance to the Montoir camp is forbidden to sightseers; "but," he adds, "a cigar sufficed." He says he had just left Paris, where every one was shivering, and stoves were at a premium. At Montoir, he avers, he found stoves piled pell-mell and scattered about in the mud, keeping company with a number of large cooking ranges.

"A little mountain attracted our attention," he says. "It was several yards high and fifty yards long. It was covered with a coat of beautiful grass. We approached. This mountain was formed of bags of grain which had sprouted and was growing, unmolested, its verdant beard. How many tons of precious grain were lost? It seems that it would have been too simple to place these thousand of sacks in one of the empty hangars all about."

The Petit Journal promises to expose conditions in all camps in which the Government is holding American stocks. The wholesale disposition of these stocks is not yet feasible because no inventory of them has been made.

RESCUED FROM DROWNING.

Man Jumps or Falls from Staten Island Ferryboat.

John S. Brown of 1,757 Eighth Avenue either jumped or fell from the deck of the Staten Island ferryboat Richmond yesterday afternoon when the boat was off Governors Island. Captain Conover of the tug Vigilant saw the man struggling in the water. He cut adrift a tow and headed for the rescue. The man in the water was hauled out with a boathook.

The rescued man was transferred to the immigration cutter Emigrant and brought to the Battery. From there he was sent to Bellevue Hospital.

DJELAL AND HIS WIFE REPORTED MURDERED

But Lawyer Got Letter from Former Turkish Consul Saying Wife Committed Suicide.

DENVER, Dec. 23.—The Turkish Government officially has notified Mrs. Claude Sachs that her sister, Mildred Desmond, wife of Djelal Munif Bey, former Turkish Consul General in New York, and her husband were murdered in Budapest by revolutionists in September.

The State Department has been asked to verify the report that Djelal Munif Bey and his wife have been murdered by revolutionists in Budapest, Herbert J. Lyall, attorney for Djelal Munif's interests in the United States, announced here last night. He doubted the truth of the report, as he received a letter from the Consul General Monday stating that his wife committed suicide while visiting at an estate near Budapest.

The letter from Djelal was dated "August, 1919," but the postmark indicated it had been mailed in November. It stated that Mme. Djelal, "depressed and suffering from nervousness," brought about by the lack of food and conditions in general in Hungary, killed herself.

Previous to getting the letter Mr. Lyall said he had received a black-bordered postcard in French from Djelal Munif, announcing his wife's death.

Djelal Munif Bey is remembered in New York because of his size as well as because of his marriage to a divorce, for which he was virtually banished from the Turkish Legation.

His bride was the Countess Chenay, who was Mildred Desmond of Colorado Springs, Col. She had been divorced from Count Chenay in Paris after a few years of married life.

LENIN SELLING JEWELS FOR RED PROPAGANDA

Gems Sent Through Germany to Dutch Markets — Czar's Diamonds Offered.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 23 (Associated Press).—The Lenin Government in Russia, balked by the world financial blockade from sending money abroad for propaganda purposes, is now conducting a huge traffic in confiscated jewels through Germany to Holland markets, according to the Handelsblad, in connection with a charge that a Communist, Lisser of Amsterdam, offered the Russian Emperor's diamonds for sale.

"During the first months of the establishment of the Soviet Republic," says the Handelsblad, "communists in Holland and Germany were supported by the Russian Bolsheviki with money from their treasury. Many checks on the great Dutch banks were cashed. But this method became more difficult this year. Lenin and Trotzky had no more money to spare, for not only their Dutch friends but the German Spartacides especially used huge sums from the Russian Treasury.

"Now another way has been found. Soviet couriers have brought in diamonds and jewelry through Germany to Holland, and the amounts realized on their sale are being used to continue the communistic campaign. A Hollander who occupied an important post under the Bolsheviki settled down in a provincial town. His wife has made several trips to Russia, coming back with jewels. Once she was stopped at the German frontier, but finally was permitted to enter Holland. Many large jewels of mysterious origin recently have been offered for sale on the Amsterdam diamond market."

BELGIUM TO MAINTAIN FREE HAND HEREAFTER

Foreign Minister Announces That Negotiation of Revised Treaty of 1839 Is Still Going On.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 23.—The Foreign Minister, Paul Hymans, made a long statement today on the Belgian foreign policy concerning the revision of the treaty of 1839. He was unable to enter into details, as negotiations were unfinished. But however they might result, he said, Belgium would not enter into any agreement in the direction of returning to neutrality or restriction of her sovereign rights.

Belgium, said the Foreign Minister, wished to remain free to choose her friends and allies, which was necessitated by her honor and national dignity.

The Foreign Minister said he hoped the United States eventually would join in Europe's efforts for the establishment and practical operation of the League of Nations. He paid tribute to President Wilson's high ideals, which he said the Belgian Government had supported from the outset. Belgium, he asserted, would neglect nothing to help in the establishment of a league which would bring peace to the world and assure the triumph of right.

M. Hymans said Belgium's military arrangements with France and Great Britain were necessary to the stability of Europe, and constituted an insurmountable obstacle to new criminal attempts.

BAR LUDENDORFF MEMOIRS.

Tirpitz Book Also Suppressed in the Occupied Zone.

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—The Vossische Zeitung says it learns that the memoirs of General Ludendorff, former Chief Quartermaster General, and Admiral von Tirpitz, former Minister of the Navy, have been suppressed in the occupied zone.

Copies already purchased, it is stated, must be returned to the military authorities.

ITALY NOW FEELS SHE STANDS ALONE

Had Hoped for British and French Support Against Wilson's Stand on Fiume.

SPIRIT OF UNREST SPREADS

Fear That People Will Now Unite in Support of D'Annunzio and Defy the Allies.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ROME, Dec. 22.—"Italy stands alone," was the phrase used by all Italians when Orlando left the Paris Peace Conference subsequent to President Wilson's message to the Italians. This same expression is used now after Scialoia's speech in the Chamber explaining that sentiment in England and France is against making any serious concessions on the Adriatic question without America's consent.

Although the press had been preparing the public for this revelation, when it was actually pronounced by the Foreign Minister it produced the most disastrous effect. His speech was received in perfect silence by the Chamber, which was perhaps a more impressive manifestation of the feeling of the people than any amount of shouting of protests. The impression had been gaining ground here that England and France were favorably disposed toward Italy, but the memorandum presented by them to Scialoia dispelled all these illusions.

Italians have given up hope that Wilson will ever yield on the Fiume question, but have hoped that owing to the difficulties arising in the United States concerning the ratification of the peace treaty and the League of Nations covenant, England and France would be drawn to the support of Italy's claims, Italy being nearer home than America, and her help might be necessary in case of future danger from Germany.

"Italy stands alone" betrays a rather dangerous state of spirit, as the feeling is spreading that Italy has been abandoned by her allies. As a result resentment and bitterness may lead the public to defy the Allies, rousing a spirit of unrest throughout the country. Before the presentation of the memorandum Italy had made serious efforts to find a solution of the occupation of Fiume by d'Annunzio which would probably have been received with satisfaction by the country, but the latest developments may strengthen the poet's position and unite the nation in wishing to let him remain where he is, for fear that if he leaves Fiume may not be given to Italy.

At the opening of the new Legislature the position of Premier Nitti seemed very precarious, but in the last week all parties except the Socialists have supported him on many points. What especially made a good impression was his strong attack on the Socialists and his promise to reform the Constitution, while his battling spirit and energy have brought to his side even his most intransigeant enemies who opposed him so bitterly when he formed his Ministry. The vote of confidence, although far from overwhelming, caused no surprise. Nitti had all along maintained that he would get some majority, especially as many parties realized that this was not the moment to form a new Cabinet.

The "Italian Tiger" has once again won against fearful odds. Many predict that he will succeed, whatever the storm, and bring the ship of state safely into harbor.

JUGOSLAV CHARGES CRUELTIES

Member of Relief Commission Accuses the Italians.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Walter Predovich, Chairman of the Jugoslav Relief Commission, just returned from six months spent in Jugoslavia, said today that he had a "huge amount of documentary evidence of atrocities committed by the Italians against the Jugoslavs."

According to Predovich, Jugoslav women were frequently victims of Italian soldiers who were not punished. Citizens refusing to send their children to schools established by the Italians, where the Italian language was taught, were thrown into prison.

Predovich declared that d'Annunzio's seeming irresponsibility in activities in Fiume and elsewhere was "just a cloak behind which Italy is working to obtain that which the Peace Conference refused to give it."

NEW DEFENSE REVEALED.

Efforts to Show Sweetheart's Slayer Is Mentally Unsound.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 23.—Harry S. New's almost motionless attitude and continual staring straight ahead is a habit, according to testimony given today in his trial on a charge of murdering his sweetheart, Freda Lesser.

The testimony was given by E. W. McCumber, formerly a prisoner with New to the county jail. McCumber said the defendant frequently sat at the window of his cell and gazed into space for hours at a time, motionless and never uttering a word. This was the outstanding feature of the efforts of the defense today to show that New was mentally unsound. The witness said he had noticed other things about New which caused him to believe the accused man was "not right" mentally.

Among depositions read to the jury from residents of Indianapolis, New's former home, were those of Colonel Robert H. Tyndall, commander of the artillery unit, with which New served on the Mexican border, and Captain Galvin L. Payne of "A" Battery, who expressed belief in New's mental unsoundness.

Captain Payne said New appeared morose and seemed to be brooding much of the time. The defense is laying stress on the alleged effect on the mind of New of brooding over what counsel termed the "sad circumstance of his birth."

CHICAGO CUTS CAR FARE.

Utilities Commission Orders Flat Six-Cent Rate for Trolleys.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Street car fares here were reduced today to a flat rate of 6 cents by the Public Utilities Commission. The cash fare had been 7 cents with ten rides at 65 cents and fifty rides for $3. This scale had prevailed only a short time, the flat 7 cent fare established last Spring having been reduced recently.

The new rate will be in force on Dec. 27. Figures were presented by the city showing that 86 3-10 per cent. of the passengers were paying the 7-cent fare.

To Dissolve College Women's Club.

Supreme Court Justice Greenbaum granted yesterday an application by the College Women's Club of New York City, organized in 1900 to aid women graduates and undergraduates financially and otherwise, to dissolve because the work done by the organization is now being carried on by the alumnae associations of the various women's colleges. The officers of the club intend to pay $4,620 remaining on hand to Vassar College for its fund to assist graduates and undergraduates.

DUTCH WAR MINISTER RESIGNS FROM CABINET

Van Geusan Resents Reductions Forced by Socialists in Estimates for Munitions.

THE HAGUE, Dec. 22.—Post-war defense problems, closely allied with the problematical result of the formation of the League of Nations, has brought about what appears to be a crisis in the Dutch Government.

The resignation of Jonkheer Bylevild, Minister of Marine, occurred last week, and today Alting van Geusan, Minister of War, announced his resignation when the Dutch States General amended his war budget and greatly reduced the sums available for munitions. The budget generally provided for an army of the approximate strength of 200,000. The present Government had taken the view that the world situation was still delicate and made necessary a large army. Socialist members, led by Deputy Merchant, opposed the budget on the theory that the League of Nations would end the necessity for heavy armaments.

RUMANIAN PRINCE AGAIN TRIES SUICIDE

Charles's Eldest Sister Reported to be Engaged to Prince George of Greece.

BUCHAREST, Dec. 23.—The newspapers here assert that Prince Charles, the Rumanian Crown Prince, who entered into a morganatic marriage in 1918 and recently has been living in Monastir, is reported to have made another attempt to commit suicide.

According to another newspaper, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of King Ferdinand, is reported to be engaged to Prince George, eldest son of former King Constantine of Greece.

A dispatch from Bucharest Nov. 8 said Crown Prince Charles had rejoined his morganatic wife, from whom he had been forced by his parents to separate shortly after their marriage. The Prince after his marriage renounced his rights to the Rumanian throne, and, when he was separated from his bride, tried to kill himself with a revolver, but only succeeded in putting a bullet through his right foot.

PRINCESS IS WOUNDED.

Wife of Prince Hans von Ratibor Shot Near Breslau.

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—Princess Hans von Ratibor, while motoring today at Breslau, was shot in the arm by an unidentified assailant, according to word received here.

The would-be assassin escaped.

CLOTHING STRIKE SETTLED.

Chicago Workers Get Increase—Suit Prices to Follow.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—With the granting of substantial increases in wages the disputes between the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America and many of the larger clothing manufacturers were ended today. The following increases in wages were granted by the Arbitration Board: Less than $30 a week, 20 per cent.; $30 to $50 a week, 6 per cent.; over $50 a week, 5 per cent.

Figures given out by the clothing manufacturers showed girl buttonhole workers were averaging $50 weekly and more skilled craftsmen as much as $150 to $175.

The increase is expected to send the high prices of men's clothing still higher, and according to one buyer, the lowest price possible in 1920 for a suit will be $45.

INSPECT HOUSE OF REFUGE

Legislative Investigation Body and Newton Visit Albion Institution.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBION, N. Y., Dec. 23.—The Legislative committee investigating charges of mismanagement of the Western House of Refuge for Women, visited the institution in Albion today with Attorney General Charles D. Newton. Two members of the State Prison Commission, Major Sears and Arthur Dean, also were present during the inspection by the committee composed of Senator Seymour Lowman of Elmira, Chairman; Senator John J. Mackrell of Troy, and Assemblyman Joseph A. McGinnis of Ripley.

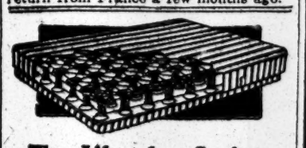
No evidence was taken today. The trip was merely one in which existing conditions were looked over without inquiries of the employes or inmates. It was rumored that the committee has finished hearing witnesses. Local interest centres on whether or not they will recommend the removal of Mrs. Flora P. Daniels of Buffalo, who is represented by Senator Clinton Thornton of Buffalo.

SOLDIER-ROBBER CONVICTED

Sergt. Slager's "Pal" Confesses Dozen Holdups by Pair.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Dec. 23.—Sergeant Charles A. Slager of the 13th Infantry, stationed at Camp Merritt, was today convicted of highway robbery here.

The complainant was Frank Halloran, who was held up and robbed of $75 on Oct. 23. Slager was a "pal" of Sergeant Andrew Kaminiski, a member of the 13th Infantry, who pleaded guilty and turned State's evidence. Kaminiski said that he and Slager had participated in a dozen highway robberies since their return from France a few months ago.



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Husband of Newark Woman Victimized by Stranger Posing as Physician.

"FEE" OF $3 COLLECTED

Police Send Out Alarm for Man Who Visited Patient of Dr. H. C. McBride.

The Newark police were confronted yesterday with a new kind of swindle, and have asked authorities of other cities to look for a suave, tall man wearing a fur overcoat. The swindle was reported by Dr. H. C. McBride of 252 Mulberry Street, Newark, as having been practiced upon the husband of one of his patients, a Mrs. Hartman of 84 Green Street.

Soon after he left the Hartman home yesterday morning the tall, well-dressed man called and inquired if Dr. McBride had been there. Mr. Hartman told him the doctor had just left.

"That is strange," said the tall man, removing his overcoat and hat. "I was to meet Dr. McBride here. I am a specialist whom he called in on this case and we were to hold a consultation. Please show me to the patient."

The stranger drew up a chair alongside the bed, took out his watch, and felt the patient's pulse.

"Very serious," he muttred. "I will have to make some notes."

The stranger took a notebook and pencil from his pocket and did some writing.

"That is all just now," he said, turning to the sick woman's husband. "Of course you know it is customary when a specialist is called in by the family physician to collect the fee. Three dollars, please." Mr. Hartman paid the money, which the stranger calmly pocketed and, bowing himself out, disappeared.

It was not until Mrs. Hartman died last night that Dr. McBride was informed of the visit of the so-called specialist.

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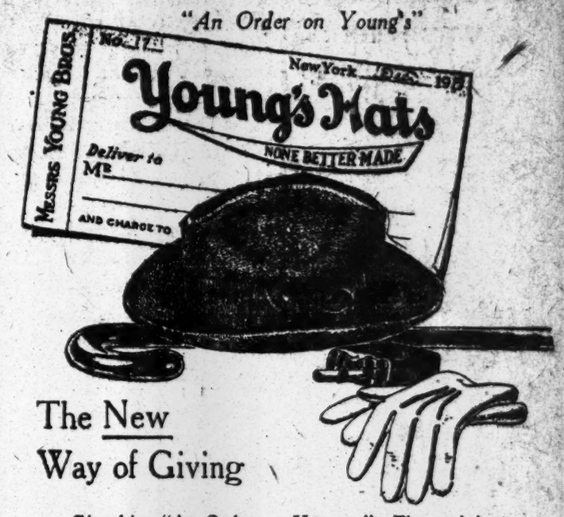

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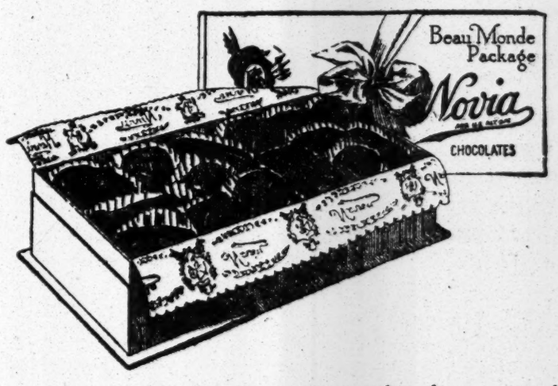

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HYLAN THREATENS TO ARREST HEDLEY

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cents, and other mechanics from 73 to 88 cents. Laborers earn as much as 45 cents an hour.

It was said that no demand would be made by the employes of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company for increased wages. P. J. Shea, Vice President of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes of America, the association which was repudiated by the Interborough Brotherhood, said:

"Employes of the B. R. T. system are not thinking of striking. There is better co-operation between the employes and the officials of that system than ever before. The men in Brooklyn will tell you that everything is as fine as silk. They are getting a reasonable salary and the working conditions have been bettered. Therefore there will be no strike in Brooklyn."

President Hedley of the Interborough Company sent out a statement yesterday which said:

"The Interborough subway and elevated on Monday carried a total of 3,308,486 people, which was 534,223 more persons than were carried on the Monday before Christmas last year.

"The number of passengers carried on the subway and elevated on this one day was more than twice the usual number of passengers carried daily on the entire Pennsylvania Railroad system and is in excess of the number of people carried on any other transportation system in the world. In order to move this large number of people, 14,822 trains were run on the subway and elevated lines."

I. R. T. GOES TO MORGAN.

Necessity for $4,000,000 by Jan. 1 Emphasized by Officers.

Members of bondholders' protective committees and others interested in the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, including officials and directors, held a series of conferences yesterday on the question of the present and future financial position of the company. All who attended the conferences were eager to avert the financial difficulties which threaten the company on Jan. 1, 1920, unless about $4,000,000 is raised to meet requirements.

There was a meeting of Interborough Directors at noon in the offices of the company at 165 Broadway. Following this a number of Directors and members of the Executive Committee adjourned to the Guaranty Trust Company, accompanied by Frank Hedley, President, and James L. Quackenbush, counsel. After a brief discussion a smaller number of the Executive Committee went to the offices of J. P. Morgan & Co., where they were in conference until late in the afternoon.

It is understood that the men who conferred in the Morgan office represented both Interborough-Metropolitan and Interborough Rapid Transit bondholders. The question of raising the financial requirements of the company by assessment was discarded.

It was said last night none of the conferences resulted in either a positive or negative decision as to the raising of the necessary $4,000,000.

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ALFONSO OF BOURBON TO BECOME ITALIAN

Says That His Daughter-in-Law Plotted to Have His Spanish Estates Confiscated.

TALKS OF EXTRAVAGANCE

Replies to Charges of Prodigality by Pointing to the Debts of King Alfonso.

ROME, Dec. 22.—Prince Alfonso of Bourbon-Orléans, who recently renounced his title as Infante of Spain and his privileges of royalty, announces in an interview in the Giornale d'Italia that he will become a naturalized citizen of Italy. He says his interdiction by the Spanish Court was the result of a plot to confiscate his property and says his daughter-in-law, Princess Beatrice, sister of the Queen of Rumania, was back of this plot and had influence with his nephew, King Alfonso of Spain.

"I was watched constantly," he says, "and intercepted correspondence prevented me from withdrawing money from banks. King Alfonso's promises were not fulfilled, and my convictions were confirmed that Spanish officials were playing a comedy. The real object was that the court wanted to take possession of my fortune in order to pay heavy debts. Senator Ortega succeeded in having a court administrator named in France for my property, from which he received large sums which were never accounted for. He then came to Italy with an order from King Alfonso to withdraw sums due me and to carry them in the diplomatic pouch to Spain. The Italian court, however, did not recognize the validity of the order.

"Last May I was informed that a decree was published by the King of Spain interdicting me and was told that Alfonso wished me to go to Madrid, which I did, accompanied by two Spanish officers.

"Alfonso immediately summoned me and began to inquire about my health. It had even been said that I was smoking opium and using morphine. This is all nonsense, because I never tried to find any artificial paradises. To my remonstrances against the decree, Alfonso promised to arrange things as soon as reports could be received from Italy. In the meantime, a man called Ortega Moreyon was appointed my custodian.

"I have been accused of prodigality. I think they should ask my nephew, the King of Spain, if the 40,000,000 pesetas he takes yearly for his civil list is too little to satisfy the debts he incurs. The Premier of Spain, a friend of mine, might speak on this subject about the credits of his to the King amounting to 30,000,000 pesetas.

"They forced me to sign a power of attorney, but I escaped from Spain in time and checked their manoeuvres. My interdiction was granted at the request of my children, instigated by my daughter-in-law, Princess Beatrice. You certainly know what her conduct has been in the Spanish Court. The scandal reached such a point that when the Queen of Spain returned to Madrid Princess Beatrice was invited to go abroad. In matters of that sort journeys abroad are still in vogue in the Spanish Court."

HONORS CAPT. ROSS SMITH.

King Confers Knighthood on the Aviator and His Brother.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Knighthood in the Order of the British Empire has been conferred by King George upon Captain Ross Smith, the first aviator to complete an airplane flight from England to Australia.

Captain Smith's brother, Macpherson Smith, who was the observer in the recent successful flight, was accorded an identical honor.

COALITION M. P. IS ELECTED.

Lieut. Col. Freemantle Defeats Liberal Candidate in Bye-Election.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Lieut. Col. F. E. Freemantle, Coalition - Unionist, was elected to Parliament for the St. Albans Division of Hertfordshire in the bye-election held on Dec. 10, it was announced today. Lieut. Col. Freemantle had a plurality of 713 votes over the next highest nominee, receiving 9,621 votes to 8,908 for J. W. Brown, the Labor candidate. Milner Gray, Liberal, received 2,474 votes.

At the last general election Sir F. Hildreth Carlile, Coalition-Unionist, was returned unopposed.

Robber Suspect Discharged.

John Finnen, 24, a longshoreman of 206 Avenue B, who was arrested early Sunday morning by Detective August J. Gilmore of the East Fifty-first Street Station on suspicion, following the hold-up and robbery of David Broad, a paymaster in the employ of William Smith & Sons Company, on a pier at Twenty-fourth Street and East River last Saturday, was discharged when arraigned yesterday before Magistrate Alexander Brough in Yorkville Court.

LARGER WAR PHOTOS.

Public Library Adds to Exhibit 200 Pictures of A. E. F. in France.

The New York Public Library announces that an addition of about 200 enlargements, 14 by 17 inches, has been made to the collection of war photographs now on exhibition. These additional enlargements were selected by Charles Phelps Cushing, photo news editor of Stars and Stripes, from 50,000 pictures made by army photographers of the A. E. F. They are printed in sepia and have the appearance of photogravures.

Visitors to the Signal Corps war photos, library attendants report, have proved notably different from the visitors to ordinary collections of prints or etchings. They bring a more personal and vital feeling. Hats come off and voices are lowered as they look at the views of desolated France or at pictures which are testimonials to the courage and enterprise of the A. E. F.

It is reported by the library authorities that a great many people have come from out of town in order to see, by these photographs, where and how their men fought. Families have recognized their own boys in the pictures and groups of men gather in front of a photograph and excitedly point out where they themselves lived and fought.

In response to a general demand, the library announces that copies of any of the photographs now on exhibition may be obtained by arrangement with the Signal Corps at Washington. Information on this point may be had at the desk, in the exhibition gallery, or by addressing the library.

The Signal Corps has also placed in the exhibition room a catalogue of all of the photographs of the 27th, 77th, and 78th Divisions. The exhibition will remain open throughout January.

LAGUARDIA ATTACKS HYLAN.

Accuses Mayor of Trying to Hamper Republicans on Board of Estimate.

Representative Fiorello H. LaGuardia, President-elect of the Board of Aldermen, charged Mayor Hylan yesterday with deliberately changing the makeup of Board of Estimate Committees in a way that will seriously interfere with his own usefulness and that of City Magistrate Henry H. Curran, his future Republican associate in the board, who will assume on Jan. 1 the office of Borough President of Manhattan.

"I am informed," said Major LaGuardia last night, "that Mayor Hylan has changed the makeup of committees of the Board of Estimate, fixing them so that Major Curran and myself will have but little voice in the preliminary consideration of legislation affecting New York City and the expenditure of its $275,000,000 budget.

"I am credibly informed that the Mayor contemplates depriving me of the Chairmanship of the important Committee on Salaries and Grades and the Chairmanship of the Committee on Transit, of both of which the President of the Board of Aldermen is now the head.

"I have assigned Miss Charlotte Delafield, my private secretary, to investigate the workings of the Board of Education. I have also asked my future assistant, Charles S. Devoy, to investigate the Jamaica Bay improvement to the end that taxpayers may know what the money is being spent for."

NOT A FALSE ALARM.

Woman Calls Out Firemen to Quench a Burning Thirst.

Mary Behn, 40 years old, no home, was thirsty yesterday morning, according to the police, and when a bootlegger to whom she gave $5 for a bottle of whisky failed to produce the whisky or return the money she summoned three engine companies, two hook and ladder companies, an insurance patrol, two Deputy Fire Chiefs, two Battalion Chiefs, and a bunch of police reserves.

Patrolman Levine arrested the woman after she had turned in a false alarm at Sixty-fifth Street and Amsterdam Avenue. Seventy firemen, with equipment, and half as many policemen were hurried to the vicinity. The woman said she had mistaken the fire box for a police call box. She had intended to put the police on the trail of the bootlegger. Later Magistrate Joseph S. Schwab, in the West Side Court, fined her $2, which she paid.

SLEEPING, WALKS IN STREET

Maid, Clothed in Night Dress, Is Found by Policeman.

While standing in the police booth at Lafayette Avenue and Coster Street, the Bronx, early yesterday morning Patrolman Stephens of the Bathgate Avenue Station saw a "ghostly vision" on the opposite side of the street and upon investigation discovered that it was a woman clad in a nightgown walking about aimlessly.

Patrolman Stephens summoned an ambulance and Dr. Epstein of Lincoln Hospital, who responded, took her to that institution suffering from "nightmare." Later, at the hospital, the woman said she was Elizabeth Dearie, maid, in the employ of Joseph Mensch of 654 Coster Street.

At the Mensch home it was said that the maid probably had been dreaming.

Boston Tech Fund Over $3,000,000.

The total for the Educational Endowment Fund of Massachusetts Institute of Technology is now $3,209,454.81, according to the announcement made yesterday by the campaign committee. The committee hopes to raise $4,000,000 by Jan. 1. The Institute's schedule, as originally planned, called for $3,000,000 by New Year's, an amount which was to be matched by an anonymous benefactor. Subsequently he promised to add a million to his gift if the Institute could get another million in subscriptions. He also promised, if the campaign were successful, to make his identity known.

FRAME INDICTMENT OF THE KAISER

British, French, and Belgian Law Officers Confer in London.

FAMILY COUNCIL BY KAISER?

Ex-Crown Prince's Christmas Visit Is Believed to Have a Bearing on the Trial.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Law officers of the Crown held a consultation with French and Belgian law officers today with regard to the former German Emperor. It is reported that the conferees made out a case against the former German ruler and framed an indictment.

THE HAGUE, Dec. 23.—The semi-official Netherlands Correspondence Bureau today announces that there is no truth in a statement, published in Le Soir of Brussels, to the effect that the Dutch Government has already unofficially informed the Allies that it will not surrender the former German Emperor if extradition is requested. The Bureau says that as yet no action in the matter has been taken.

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THE HAGUE, Dec. 22.—There is to be a family reunion of the exiled Hohenzollerns at Amerongen for Christmas festivities. The ex-Crown Prince will stay at the Bentinck castle, but filial affection is said not to be the sole reason for his visit. It is possible that decisions of a far-reaching nature will be taken affecting the demand for the ex-Kaiser's extradition and trial.

AMERONGEN, Dec. 22 (Associated Press)—The former Crown Prince Frederick William is coming to Amerongen to spend Christmas. He will leave his home on the Island of Wieringen Christmas Eve. Interested Dutch circles consider this visit evidence of a reconciliation between the former German Emperor and his son.

A Christmas tree for the ex-Kaiser was purchased last week, and many gifts for the exiles have arrived from Germany. Frederick William on Saturday gave a Christmas tree party at Wieringen for thirty German children, distributing gifts of autographed photographs.

NIXON GETS MEETING PLACE.

Staten Island Traction Hearing to be Held in Court House.

The meeting called by Public Service Commissioner Lewis Nixon to consider the proposed abandonment of Staten Island car service will be held at St. George after all. It was first proposed to hold the meeting in the Borough Hall, but Calvin D. Van Name, President of the borough, declined to sanction the use of the hall for the purpose.

Then Mr. Nixon announced that the meeting would be held in the Assembly room of the commission, but yesterday he obtained permission to use the County Court House for the meeting, which will be held there at 2 o'clock next Monday. Mr. Van Name based his refusal to have the meeting held in Borough Hall on the ground that the meeting would be packed, and that the people of Staten Island were opposed to an increased fare.

$100,000 ALIENATION SUIT.

Mrs. Rebecca Bennett Brings Action Against Addie R. Tingley.

A complaint was filed in the Bronx County Clerk's office yesterday in an action for $100,000 damages for alienation of affections brought by Mrs. Rebecca Bennett of 736 Tinton Avenue, the Bronx, against Addie R. Tingley of 1,111 Nostrand Avenue, Brooklyn.

Mrs. Bennett alleges the defendant willfully and maliciously gained the affections of her husband, James J. Bennett, an attorney, and persuaded him to leave the plaintiff on Aug. 5, 1915.

Plan Community Units Here.

A community experiment similar to the one which has been carried out in a section of Cincinnati for the last two and a half years by the National Social Unit Organization may be conducted next year in New York. Plans were formulated at a breakfast yesterday at the Metropolitan Club attended by members of the Executive Boards of the community councils of New York.

Fourth Division to Have a Smoker.

The first reunion of the members of an American combat division will be held in New York next Saturday night, when the men who served with the 4th, or Ivy, Division in France gather for an informal smoker at the Hotel Pennsylvania. According to the announcement sent out yesterday from the Eastern headquarters of the Division, at 2 Rector Street, more than a thousand guests are expected at the smoker.

STORK BRINGS PYGMY HIPPO

First Baby of Its Kind Born in Captivity Is at Bronx "Zoo."

Not since the camel got homesick through looking at a sand pile in front of a new building has there been so much excitement in the Zoological Park in the Bronx as there was yesterday.

It began at 11 o'clock when a keeper in the elephant house discovered that the stork was knocking at the door of the inclosure that for several years has been the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pygmy Hippopotamus. This was not an unexpected visit and it did not take Dr. Reed Blair, the park veterinarian, long to arrive. At 11 o'clock there was much interest when the doctor announced that the first and only pygmy hippopotamus ever born in captivity, so far as any one in the "Zoo" knew, had just arrived.

Dr. William T. Hornaday said the youngster was healthy and weighed about five pounds. Unless it begins nursing by today it will be brought up as a bottle baby.

The pygmy hippopotamus normally is one-fourteenth the size of the regular species, according to Dr. Hornaday. The animals hail from an out-of-the-way part of Liberia, in West Africa, and only five pygmy "hippos" have ever been taken into captivity. Three of these, two males and a female, were purchased by the Zoological Society in 1912 for $15,000, and brought to this city. The public will have an opportunity to view the new arrival in a few days.

CANTACUZENE URGES HELP FOR KOLCHAK

Prince Warns Allies of Peril to the World Unless the Red Armies Are Beaten.

AIM TO WIN YELLOW RACES

Says Admiral Can Stop Bolshevist Forces If He Can Obtain Supplies.

A warning to the Allies to consider carefully the Russian situation, and to lend moral and financial support to the Kolchak Government, was uttered yesterday by Prince Michael Cantacuzene, who has just returned to the United States to represent the anti-Bolshevist armies.

He said the nations opposed to soviet government could not afford to disregard the Omsk régime, as on the success of the All-Russian armies depended the downfall of the doctrines of Lenin and Trotzky. Prince Cantacuzene is the husband of a granddaughter of General Grant.

The Prince said Admiral Kolchak was confident he would be able to stay the eastward advance of the Bolshevist army. "The Allies should remember," he said, "that Kolchak's army alone prevents Lenin and Trotzky from carrying out their ambition to win the yellow races to their cause. One hesitates to think what might happen to the world if China and Japan rallied to their leadership. The worst difficulty the Omsk Government faces is that of obtaining supplies."

Estimates of the size of the Red army, the Prince said, ran from 10,000 to 800,000. He said the belief prevailed in Siberia that many of the units were officered by Germans. He said Admiral Kolchak was a man of great military and executive ability, and that the people in Siberia had great faith in his leadership.

He confirmed the report that the Kolchak Government had built up a gold reserve of $300,000,000. Regarding the depreciation of Russian money, he said:

"The professional and business men suffer most. The peasants grow their own food, and do not have to have money for edibles. In Vladivostok I paid 250 rubles a day for three meals and a room, and none of the meals consisted of more than two courses."

Prince Cantacuzene said he would urge American business men and manufacturers to take advantage of the opportunities offered for marketing their products in Siberia. Because of the financial situation, he said, a policy of barter and exchange would have to be adopted until currency becomes stabilized. Siberia needs food, clothing and agricultural implements, and is prepared to offer in exchange leather, pelts and other commodities, he added.

SOVIET CLAIMS VICTORIES.

Petlura's Ukraine Troops Said to be Surrounded.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—A Bolshevist communication received from the region of Bakhmut, about 125 miles east of the Ekaterinoslav, says:

"After fierce fighting with the troops of General Mamontoff and General Shkuro, our cavalry flung the enemy back to the south and the Reds occupied Staromlenak town. From Nov. 20 to Dec. 20 the Reds occupied 125,000 square versts of territory, together with Kiev, Kharkov, Poltava, and thirty-nine smaller towns, and captured 5,280 soldiers and eighty-nine officers.

"On the Turkestan front the Reds have occupied Balalshem, southeast of Krasnovodsk, and captured 500 prisoners."

The troops of General Petlura, anti-Bolshevist commander in the Ukraine, have been surrounded by Soviet forces in the vicinity of Berditchev, in the province of Kiev, twenty-four miles south of Zhitomir, according to another wireless dispatch from Moscow received here today.

Ten Hurt in Trolley Smash.

Ten persons were painfully, though not seriously, injured yesterday when a Southern Boulevard surface car, in charge of Motorman Gus Johnson of 176 Willis Avenue, jumped the track in front of 1,097 Southern Boulevard and crashed into a pillar of the elevated extension of the subway.

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$6,119.71 Received Yesterday, Many of the Donations Coming from Warm-Hearted Children.

Contributions for the neediest cases in New York City yesterday totaled $6,119.71, bringing the amount received so far this year to $73,005.78, within a few thousand dollars of last year's total of $81,097.57. Last year's total, however, should be increased to a generous extent to provide relief for as many of the most unfortunate and deserving families as were helped in 1918.

This is the last day on which gifts can be sent in time to enlarge the round which Santa Claus will make tomorrow to the homes of destitute and sorrowing families, where he will carry the promise of a year's food and shelter and other aid necessary to give a start in life to the most sadly afflicted mothers and children in the community. Each new gift helps him to bring happiness to another household which, through no fault of its own, is now in the greatest sorrow and distress.

Last year, the Hundred Neediest Cases were provided for and more than 100 others almost equally appealing. Contributions so far received guarantee the relief of more than the first hundred cases this year, though many thousand dollars more are needed to wipe out grief and misery and bring happiness on as large a scale as in 1918.

Many mothers and children who are now in the bitterest want and desolation, and who today can see nothing ahead of them but greater distresses and the heart-breaking climax of being separated from one another, perhaps for all time, will have the most joyful surprise of their lives tomorrow. Christmas will bring them untold happiness.

What Santa Means to Them.

Santa Claus will be a totally unexpected visitor. The big pack which he takes to these families will contain, not the usual Christmas things that the more fortunate will have, but a guarantee to loving mothers and children that they will have each other for a year, that they will have a roof and food and clothes, that women who have fallen exhausted in the battle for their little ones will have rest and care, and that the frail and sickly ones of their flock will have the nourishment and attention they need.

All who will be helped are now without resources of their own and dependent absolutely on the generosity of the public. No family for whom the appeal is made is aided by the State Pension law. Most of the families are fatherless and all are without breadwinners. Unemployment, through strikes or other causes, is not a factor in producing the poverty in any of the cases. Today is the last on which contributions can be sent in time to make a merry Christmas for them.

One hundred per cent. of every gift is used to buy the necessaries of life for these families, no deduction being made for expenses of any kind entailed in the process of ministering the relief and watching over the families through the year. Each gift not only helps the families for which it buys the means of existence, but it contributes to the general relief of the poor of New York. As each family is provided for, that much burden is lifted from the charitable organizations, which can make but limited provision for the families in their care, and they are able to help their remaining charges more effectively.

Children Unselfish Givers.

Children in happy homes, who have given their Christmas savings or have given up their expected Christmas gifts in favor of the unhappy little ones they have read about, form one of the most numerous classes of contributors this year. The contributions sent as memorials to the dead number many score. Several have come from relatives of a regular contributor to former appeals who has died during the year. Schools, clubs, and groups of office workers are appearing more frequently in the list of givers. Some of the letters accompanying contributions yesterday follow:

Colonel W. B. Atkinson, U. S. A.—"Please place the inclosed check where in your opinion it will do the most good. It is sent in memory of one whose greatest happiness was to make others happy at Christmas time."

"Anonymous"—"I am inclosing my check for $10 to add to your fund for the Hundred Neediest Cases. I am giving this in the names of four little cousins instead of sending them their usual gifts —Elenor Hancock, Lorenzo Armstrong, Jr., Malcolm Scott, Francis Tiebout."

Hayden W. Wheeler & Co.—"We are inclosing herewith check for $100 to be applied where you think it will do the most good in your Hundred Neediest Cases, an appeal that cannot help but touch the hearts of men."

"Anonymous"—"I inclosed please find $20 for the relief of Cases 34 and 43 of the neediest cases. This comes from Baby Wendy."

E. P. Beebe—"For years my wife read of your splendid work for the '100 Neediest Cases,' and always contributed. Last March she went to the land where there is neither sorrow nor want. And I desire to help in a small way. Please use this $5 for the relief of some case that has not received its full quota. Given as a memorial for Gertrude M. Beebe."

Sends Liberty Bond Coupon.

Elizabeth Nuelle, Middletown, N. Y.—"I am nine years old and wanted to send this coupon off my Liberty Bond my Daddy gave me. Give it to any case you think best."

"Art"—"Here's one frogskin. Its not much, but hope to do better next year, when I may be earning some money."

Betty and Dick Brown, Forest Heights, New Rochelle—"Enclosed please find $25 for which we wish you to help one of the neediest cases. We should like very much to know how the family does through the year."

"Mr. and Mrs. Suburbanite"—"Enclosed find check for $10 to be applied to the fund for the 100 Neediest. If, happily, the first hundred has been cared for by the time this reaches you we shall be only too glad to have it applied to any of the next neediest at the discretion of those in close touch with this wonderful work."

"M. and A. L."—"I am enclosing a Post Office order for $2 for you to apply to whichever of the Neediest seems to be most neglected. One case is more pathetic than the last, and choosing is an impossibility."

E. D. S.—"Kindly apply this small enclosure to Case No. 9, which, as I remember, was about the girl who was afraid she could not keep her baby, as a little remembrance from a mother who has lost her baby for good. Tell her to have courage and never despair as long as her baby is alive. And a merry Christmas to her."

"Anonymous I"—"The enclosed is sent in memory of Dorothy K. Butts. You are responsible for much happiness among these little ones this Christmastide. God speed the good work."

Laurence, Jr., and Montague Priddy—"We have just returned from school and yesterday read the appeal contained in your paper for the Hundred Neediest Cases and there are so many people in our great city who seem to be in want that we are enclosing the check of our daddy for $20, which amount we request you to use to help these poor, suffering people."

St. Paul's Sunday School at Englewood, N. J., is represented in the list of contributors again today, Class 5 following Class 19 in making a gift. Among the group contributors were the Wahcall Club of Brooklyn, the "Girl's Club," and the employes of Caldwell & Co., Inc.

Gift From Tulsa, Okla.

Judged by the lists of contributions to the Hundred Neediest Cases, Tulsa, Okla., is not so far away from New York City as the map purports to show. Another contribution arrived from there yesterday in a letter from John R. Wheeler, who wrote, "More success to you and a Merry Christmas for what you are doing."

The following are cases which have received few contributions specifically in their behalf and are presented as typical of the Hundred Neediest Cases, and additional cases, which further contributions will relieve:

CASE 10.

Widow and Seven Sons.

Mrs. G. tried to be both breadwinner and mother to her family of seven children after her husband died of influenza last year, but it was too much for her. Her oldest son is 12, her youngest 1½. They are all boys and all anxious to grow up and do the things that the "charity lady" tells them about when she reads from the gayly covered adventure book. Just now, however, their mother is faced with the biggest adventure that ever fell to the lot of human being—the care of seven large-eyed sons on no income whatsoever. If their cupboard is filled and can be kept filled for them until they grow a little older the story will end with the words, "and they all lived happily ever after." Otherwise the seven sons and their mother must be separated.

Total amount needed, $1,320.

Case reported by the Charity Organization Society, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 4066.)

CASE 18.

Father Dies—Seventh Child Is Born.

A year ago both parents of these six children lay ill in the hospital. The father died and the heartbroken mother returned to her family. Two months later the seventh little one was born. The father's insurance kept them for a time, but this has now been eaten up. Julia, the oldest, is 14 and will soon be able to do something for her little sisters and brothers. Mrs. W. can do nothing more than care for her three boys, aged 4, 2 and 1, and the four girls, aged 6, 9, 11 and 14.

Total amount needed, $1,055.40.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.)

CASE 67.

Widow's Hard Struggle.

For the last year Mrs. A. has tried to be breadwinner and mother to the four little children who were left fatherless a year ago. The oldest child is a girl of 12, the youngest a cripple of 5. Mrs. A., brought face to face with gnawing poverty for the first time in her life, went to work in a box factory. She did not make enough, so she tried a garment factory. Here, too, the weekly pay envelope was barely enough to pay for the three small rooms that this pitiful little group call home. Still, this plucky little woman has not given up hope. The children need her care and she is learning a trade which will keep her home with them. The most she can make, however, is $5 a week.

Total amount needed, $500.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.)

CASE 71.

Figure It Out Yourself.

Two months ago James D. left his home to go to work. He did not return that night, but a few days later his body was washed up by the tide in the river. His distracted wife was left with four children of her own and a 9-year-old nephew whom she and her husband took into their family when his own parents died. The wife earns $5 a week by taking in sewing. That, however, does not even pay for the essentials of life demanded by the sturdy youngsters. Night after night she sits with pencil and paper trying pitifully to figure how she can make ends meet.

Total amount needed, $720.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.)

CASE 85.

Babies Grieve in Institution.

Things were happy with the M. family until Roger began seeing the figures of his ledgers before him all the time and suffered a mental breakdown which developed into insanity. Mrs. M., accustomed to a good home, refused to listen to her neighbors and apply for charity. She went out to work, leaving her six little children in the care of Catherine, the oldest, who was less than 12. Try as she would she could not make ends meet. One after another, the three youngest children were taken from her and placed in public institutions. Their absence began preying on her mind and soon she was unable to work. The three babies, of three, six and seven, have been returned to her. They trembled with joy when they were taken home. It is planned to keep this home and let the mother give her children her care.

Total amount needed, $1,126.80.

Case reported by the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 7040.).

CASE 94.

A Deserving Mother.

Death claimed the breadwinner of the family first. Before the little mother of five got over that shock death took the oldest boy, the one who was planning to be the new breadwinner. There are four children left, all under six years, with a baby of seven months. The way ahead for Mrs. N. is black and hopeless. Unless the kindness of those who are more fortunate comes to her aid, the children will be taken from her. It is not believed she would survive that shock. She clings to the little ones pitifully and is deserving of being the guardian of her family.

Total amount needed, $576.

Case reported by the Charity Organization Society, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 4066.)

CASE 89.

Thirteen-Year-Old Breadwinner.

Joe is 13 years old and the provider for his aged mother and the two little children of his dead sister. The influenza epidemic last year killed his father, his sister, and her husband. Joe's mother would not have her grandchildren separated from her and from each other in a public institution. So he went to work in a florist's shop, but the truant officer caught him. Under the law boys of 13 have no business supporting families. The law is right, but conditions in Joe's family are not. His mother is an ideal guardian for the three children. In a short time this plucky child will be able to go to work without fear of being taken to court. The Winter is coming on and he doesn't know how his family is going to be fed and clothed and sheltered without help.

Total amount needed, $600.

Case reported by the Charity Organization Society, 105 East Twenty-second Street. (Telephone Gramercy 4066.)

DAY'S CONTRIBUTIONS TO FUND FOR NEEDIEST

Contributions for the Hundred Neediest Cases yesterday amounted to $6,119.71, bringing the total to date up to $73,005.78. The day's gifts were received as follows:

The New York Times	$3,156.71
Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor	1,243.00
Charity Organization Society	586.00
Brooklyn Bureau of Charities	515.00
State Charities Aid Society	319.00
Total	$6,119.71
Previously acknowledged	66,886.07
Total	$73,005.78

Contributions received direct by The New York Times:

Rudolph Zinzer	$200	E. N. Post	10
E. D. B.	150	A. V.	10
E. T. E.	100	Mem. of Gordon	10
H. N. Wheeler & Co.	100	F. E. O'Dell	10
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Mrs. S. W. Brown	25	C. G. W.	5
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Betty & D. Brown	25	V. H.	5
Janet, with thanks "Merry Christmas"	25	T. Carsebeer	5
Mrs. G. S. Knapp	25	H. C. Bates	5
F. M. Genning	25	L. M. Friend	5
C. E. White	25	E. Altmayer	5
Annie E. Scribner	25	M. Kellogg	5
R. S. Scarburgh	25	A. R. Burtis	5
M. E. Clark	25	W. J. M.	5
L. T.	25	B. W. Atkinson	5
Anonymous	25	H. J. Stone	5
Mrs. M. M. Abrahams	25	Home Ins. Co.	5
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Lawrence and Montague Priddy	20	T. Jefferson	5
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Malcolm Scott, Lorenzo Armstrong, Jr., Francis Tiebaut, and Elinor Hancock	10	Ed Severn	5
N. L. Wadly	10	M. R. Cardozo	5
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Kurt Amrein	10	M. Potter	5
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M. M. Blair	10	E. T.	2.50
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Mem. of Mother	10	Mrs. K.	2
Mrs. Walter C.	10	Mrs. A. Wykes	2
Mem. of Charles 3d	10	F. K. Haines	2
Anonymous	10	Miss L. L. Schenok	1
H. C. N.	10	Mrs. R. Russell	1
M. H. Beckett	10	Miss B. G. Russell	1
Arthur Davis	10	Total	$1,243
A. Smith	10		
E. D. Smith	10		
M. A. Shoemaker	10		
Minnie Aue	10		
Mrs. S. Wolf	10		
Total	$3,156.71		

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Cecilia C. Wallace	10	Mildred Hamberger	3
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		Total	$1,243

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For a remembrance	25	A Friend	5
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E. E. Hussey	$37.50	L. C. Tarleton	5
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Anonymous	10	Charles and Joan	2
A. C. P.	5	Murray	2
Annette	5	Marion V. Scudder	2
A. Brinckerhoff	5	Mary C. Baker	1
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J. J. Finnigan	5	Betty K. Campbell	1
A Friend	5	Mrs. C. Jameson	1
Elsie O. Hartcorn	5	Dorothy Leary	1
F. A. Lucas	5	E. F. Sherman	1
A. Mencarale	$5		
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Mrs. S. R. Mitchell	10	Anonymous	2
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McCALL REFUSES JUDGESHIP

Tells Coolidge He Wants Freedom to Give Political Counsel.

BOSTON, Dec. 23.—Former Governor Samuel W. McCall declined today a position offered him by Governor Coolidge as Judge of Probate of Middlesex County. In a letter to the Governor, he wrote:

"Acceptance of the offer would impose distinct limitations in a very critical time upon my right to give that political counsel which a somewhat long experience would make it; I trust, not wholly presumptuous for me to offer. It would involve the sacrifice of my freedom to render on occasion that service I am best fitted to render unless, indeed, I should offend against the cherished traditions of our bench, the impartiality and independence of which our Constitution so wisely safeguards."

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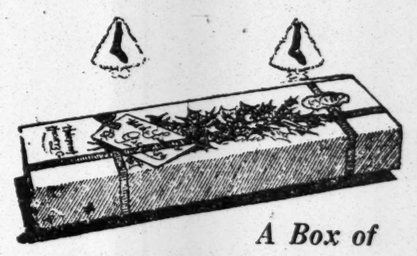

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BANS BAR ON SHIPS TO SOUTH AMERICA

Chairman Payne Holds That Vessels Should Follow the Law Governing the Land.

AFFECTS THE MOCCASIN

She Was Well Stocked for Sailing Saturday — Three-Mile Limit Leeway Now Abandoned.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Intoxicating liquors will not be sold on Shipping Board passenger liners plying between New York and South America, Chairman Payne announced today. The first of these ships, the Moccasin, will sail from New York Saturday.

Despite assurances from the board's legal department that the prohibition laws would not be effective outside of the three-mile limit, Chairman Payne holds that since the sale of liquor in the United States is prohibited its sale should not be permitted on Government-owned vessels.

The question of whether serving wines with meals would constitute a sale of liquor within the meaning of the law has not yet been determined, officials of the board said.

Formal orders prohibiting the use of liquor on the Moccasin and other vessels of the New York to South America line were issued later by Chairman Payne.

No applications for vessels to export liquor from the United States have been made to date, it was said today by officials of the board. As long as it is legal to send liquor out of the country it was said the Shipping Board would accept intoxicants as it would any other commodity. No special preparations, however, are being made to handle extra large exportations.

Announcement from Washington that Chairman Payne of the United States Shipping Board had decreed that Government-owned passenger ships in the South American service should be "dry" created considerable surprise in shipping circles here. Based on previous information that the application of the wartime and constitutional prohibition laws would not apply beyond the three-mile limit, a well stocked bar has been established on the Moccasin, due to sail Saturday. President F. C. Munson of the Munson Steamship Line, operators of the fleet, said he had not been officially advised of the decree.

Several steamship men said that the ruling, if enforced, would be a serious handicap for American ships in competition with British passenger lines in the same service. It was explained that the bar is classed with the barber shop, gymnasium, and other conveniences provided for passengers.

Only one passenger ship of the Government-owned fleet is ready for operation thus far. Six other ships are being made ready for the Munson Line South American service, and the big Leviathan is being reconditioned to enter the transatlantic trade. How the prohibition ruling will affect the Leviathan in competition with liners under other flags is being discussed. The Leviathan, however, will probably not be ready for service for several months.

On all of the privately owned American passenger liners engaged in foreign trade bars have been installed. The Manchuria, which left here this week for Hamburg, was "equipped," her agents said, and the same provision is being made for the sister ship Mongolia, and for the former American Line steamers St. Paul, St. Louis, New York, and Philadelphia.

Coastwise liners have been "dry" ever since the wartime edict became effective. On the American flag foreign ships, as on the foreign vessels, the barrooms are closed when the ship crosses the three-mile limit. The stocks are sealed while in port, and the seals are not broken until the vessel is again on the free waters.

MRS. TABOR ACCUSES VIRGO.

Now Says Illegal Operation Caused Daughter's Death.

LAWTON, Mich., Dec. 23.—A signed statement accusing Joseph Virgo of performing an illegal operation on Maude Tabor has been made by Mrs. Sarah I. Tabor, her 80-year-old mother. The statement, which is in direct contradiction to the story told by the aged woman at the inquest, was made to Assistant Prosecutor Warner, he says, in the jail at Paw Paw.

Mrs. Tabor charges that Virgo, who was married to Miss Tabor, took her to a deserted farmhouse in the neighborhod of Lawton, kept her there three days and then brought her home, where she died. The statement adds that Virgo put her body into what was to have been her "hope chest" and conveyed it into the cellar.

In her testimony at the inquest Mrs. Tabor maintained that her daughter had died from an overdose of chloroform and that, in fulfillment of a death pact, she had placed the body in the "hope chest" and hidden it in the cellar.

Virgo was confronted in jail this morning by Mrs. Tabor and her statement was read to him. "It is not true; not a word of it," he declared.

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Woman Roused from 80-Day Sleep When Other Means Fail.

Special to The New York Times.

NORWICH, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Mrs. Fred Tracy of Oxford, Chenango County, a hamlet near here, has been sleeping for eighty days. She was roused today by a talking machine which George R. Stratton, a neighbor, brought in as a last resort to waken her, all other means having failed.

"What was that?" said the sleeper, rousing herself for a moment when the machine was started. She fell asleep again, but she was aroused several times thereafter, and her physician, Dr. A. R. Morse, now believes she will recover. Mrs. Tracy is 55 years old, and is being cared for by her daughter, Viola Tracy, a Bellevue Hospital nurse. This is the record sleep of the year. Mrs. Tracy is in good physical condition.

WOLVES ON FORAY UP STATE

Surround Wire Inspector, Who Sends S O S from Pole.

GENEVA, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Farmers and others between this city and Waterloo are seeking the lair of a pack of wolves which yesterday morning surrounded the pole on which Charles Gowers, inspector of high tension wires of the Empire Gas and Electric Company of this city, was perched.

Gowers sent an S O S call to this city and a party of six went in an automobile to the rescue. They reached the spot in time to hit several shots at the wolves. At least one was wounded, as was shown by a trail of blood.

Two men employed by the same company were attacked by the same pack last week while they were repairing their truck by the side of the road northeast of the city. There are said to be about twenty wolves in the pack.

Adopts Group Insurance for 70,000.

SCHENECTADY, Dec. 23.—The General Electric Company today announced the adoption of a group insurance plan for all employes who have been with the company for a year at the plant here or in any of the branches. The plan will affect 70,000 workers of both sexes. The total liability which will be assumed by the company will be $50,000,000, it is estimated. The plan will go into effect Jan. 1.

NORMAN HAPGOOD ARRIVES.

Minister to Denmark Refuses to Comment on Harvey Statement.

Norman Hapgood, the United States Minister to Denmark, arrived yesterday on the Scandinavian-American liner Frederik VIII., with Mrs. Hapgood and their two children. He declined to comment in any way upon the recent attack made upon him by George Harvey to the effect that the American Minister at Copenhagen was in sympathy with the Soviet Government in Russia. Mr. Hapgood declined to read any of the newspaper clippings that were handed to him, and said he was going to Washington as soon as possible.

Another passenger among the 131 in the first cabin was Baroness Lillian von Sternburg, widow of a former German Ambassador to Washington, who was before her marriage Miss Lillian May Langham of Louisville, Ky. The Baroness declined to talk.

Passengers returning on the ship from Berlin said conditions in Germany were bad, but the labor situation was improving. Between seventy-five and one hundred robberies occur daily in Berlin, they added, and the robbers go round in taxicabs to the houses and openly carry away the loot.

IBANEZ SUED FOR $6,982.

Royalties Due Novelist Attached by Buenos Aires Firm.

Sheriff Knott yesterday attached royalties due to Vicente Blasco Ibanez, novelist, from Dutton & Co., and Alfred A. Knopf and all sums due him for his lecture tour under the J. B. Pond Lyceum Bureau. The attachment was issued by Supreme Court Justice Greenbaum in suits to recover on judgments obtained against the novelist in Buenos Aires some years ago. The plaintiff is W. E. Peck & Co., an export concern, which claims $6,982.

The attachment was granted on the ground that Ibanez is a resident of Madrid and Paris and may remove his property from this State. Sufficient property was attached to pay the claim, it was said.

LAUNCH BIG SUBMARINE.

Navy's Newest and Largest Is Named with Champagne.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 23.—The submarine S-16, the largest in the navy, was launched from the yard of the Lake Torpedo Boat Company today. The sponsor was Mrs. Archibald McNeil, Jr., who broke a bottle of champagne on the nose of the craft as it slipped down the ways.

The S-16 has a cruising radius of 12,000 miles, is 220 feet long, and will have a speed of twelve knots an hour submerged and fifteen knots on the surface. A crew of fifty men will man her.

Miss O'Reilly Gets Hospital Release.

Supreme Court Justice Wagner, who took testimony several months ago in a proceeding by Miss Elizabeth Boyle O'Reilly, daughter of the late John Boyle O'Reilly, Irish patriot and poet, to be released from the Bellevue psychopathic ward, sustained her writ of habeas corpus yesterday. Miss O'Reilly was taken to Bellevue after she had fled to this city from the sanitarium of Dr. Mellus, at Newton, Mass., to which she was committed by her relatives.

DISTILLERS SENDING LIQUOR TO GERMANY

Country Expected to Afford Ready Market for Large Whisky Shipments.

SHIPS TO KEEP BARS OPEN

Privately Operated Shipping Board Vessels Will Continue Sales Outside Three-Mile Limit.

In the belief that Germany will afford a market for American liquors, distillers in the United States have begun sending large shipments of whisky to Hamburg, it was learned yesterday. Great stocks of American and English whisky are on the British market, while in France and Italy the demand for American-made liquors is not sufficient to send much of their products to those countries.

The Transatlantic Commercial Corporation, which is acting as exporting agent for much of the whisky, especially from Kentucky, said yesterday that it was advising all its clients to send their liquor to Germany. It was pointed out that warehouse space in Hamburg was adequate and cheap, and that the opportunity to sell the liquor appeared favorable because of the interruption of home production during the war.

One Kentucky distillery has made arrangements to send 5,400 barrels of whisky to Germany. Export agents said they expected to find no difficulty in obtaining enough cargo space to take all the whisky in the United States out of the country by Jan. 16, when the prohibition amendment becomes effective.

Vessels owned by the United States Shipping Board and operated by private companies may still continue to operate bars and sell liquor outside the three-mile limit even after the Eighteenth Amendment becomes effective, in the opinion of W. Davis Conrad, Assistant Admiralty Counsel for the shipping board.

The shipping board steamship Manchuria which sailed under the American Line flag last week had orders to open the bar when the three-mile limit was reached, according to David C. Lindsay of the line. When the Moccasin, operated by the Munson Line, sails for the West Indies, Central, and South American ports soon, she will be equipped and ready to sell liquor within two hours after she leaves her berth.

The demand for alcoholic liquors is so brisk on the United Fruit steamships that extra bartenders have been put on the vessels, according to the passenger department of the line. The price list on these ships is: Cocktails, 30 cents; bourbon, 25 cents; Scotch, 35 cents; beer, 15 and 20 cents; rye highballs, 30 cents; gin rickeys, 30 cents.

The Royal Spanish Mail Line, it was said yesterday, operating ships in the New York-Cuba and Spain service, opens the bars of its ships when the three-mile limit is reached. The standard and fancy varieties of Spanish wine are on the list and are rationed out free of charge within moderate limit. Half a dozen drinks a day are considered a ration for a passenger. A charge is made for drinks when passengers order by the bottle.

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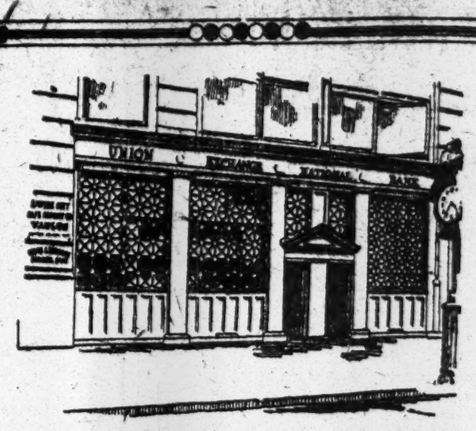

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WHITNEY WARREN PREDICTS NEW WAR

Architect Says Latins and Anglo-Saxons Will Confront Germans and Slavs.

FRANCE HOPES FOR TREATY

Criticises Our Young Diplomats—Robert Goelet Returns with Bride—Passengers on France.

Whitney Warren, well known as an architect in this city and as a speaker on public affairs, returned yesterday from Europe on the French liner France after an absence of two years, imbued with the idea that the people over there were confident the United States would sign a treaty that would be acceptable to them, more especially the people of France and Italy.

During the time he has been away Mr. Warren said he had done all in his power to improve the relations between the United States and France and added that in his opinion the important matters which came up for discussion needed the advice of more experienced men than the young diplomats who had been sent there by the Administration. He said that they were "charming fellows," but some one had to be "the goat" at the Peace Conference.

"I wish," said Mr. Warren, "that every one could realize the immense importance to the world in the selection and election of the next President of the United States. I don't believe a small part of our people realize that America is to settle the affairs of the countries abroad, as far off as these matters seem to them.

"It was necessary for d'Annunzio to go into Fiume, and it is absolutely necessary for Italy to have Fiume and control the northern boundary of her country at the only place possible. His quick action deprived Great Britain of its plan to make Fiume international, and as he came into Fiume with his troops the British quickly gave it up to him.

Predicts Another War.

"There is another war brewing, and it will be between the Latins and Anglo-Saxons on one side and the Germans and Slavs on the other side. We cannot overlook these important facts that confront the world."

Mr. Warren added that the wiping off the map of Montenegro as a small country was a crime and her people would surely rise to assert themselves as soon as they had opportunity.

Frederic G. Lee, President of the Irving Trust Company, came back on the France from a six weeks' trip to France and Italy, where he had investigated financial conditions and found to his surprise that they were prosperous.

The Duchess de Chaulnes returned from Paris dressed in deep mourning for the death of her father, Theodore P. Shonts, who was ill when she left New York four months ago, but was not expected to die. After placing the young Duke at school in France the Duchess engaged in relief work in Paris for French children.

Robert Goelet Returns with Bride.

Another passenger was Robert Goelet, who returned with a bride, formerly Mrs. Riabouchsky, who was the widow of a wealthy Russian in Paris and the daughter of Professor Ferranda of Italy.

On her way to Boston, where she will stay for a few days at the Copley-Plaza Hotel, Mrs. A. L. Fisher returned on the France. It is believed that she is the first woman ever to arrive in this country who is officially attached to the Arabian Army. Mrs. Fisher served with the Red Cross in Emir Feisal's territory and was selected to take care of the orphanage and educational work in Arabia at Damascus. She was made a Captain of Arabian Cavalry and wore the uniform of her rank when she arrived.

William J. Mulligan, Chairman of the Knights of Columbus Committee on War Activities, was also a passenger. He carried with him Christmas greetings from Pope Benedict XV. to the entire membership of the Knights ow Columbus here. Mr. Mulligan also carried a message from Cardinal Mercier of Belgium to the American people. Mr. Mulligan had a special audience with the Pope this month, and he met Cardinal Mercier at Brussels, when Mr. Mulligan was arranging a Thanksgiving celebration for American troops there.

The Cardinal has been made a member of the K. of C. and he greeted Mr. Mulligan with "Hello, my brother K. of C."

Mr. Mulligan said that the Knights of Columbus and the Red Cross, through Colonel H. S. Howland, U. S. A. had arranged for an aerial transportation relief line between Paris and Warsaw, Poland, the first flight of which was planned to take place yesterday by Lieutenant J. R. McDonald. The purpose of the line is to carry supplies to Americans in the Polish Army.

Jean Barondess New Soprano, Heard

Jean Barondess, a débutante soprano of native lyric gift and daughter of a former member of New York's Board of Education, appeared at Aeolian Hall last evening in a program of songs in Italian, French, Russian, and English, of which the foreign texts in a printed leaflet were her own translation. The tragic Russian group was most interesting, the singer giving with dramatic intensity and in the original tongue Arensky's "Broken Vase" and the "Coral Necklace," and "So Soon Forgotten" of Tschaikovsky. Richard Hageman, who accompanied her, bowed with Miss Barondess after his air to Tagore's "Do Not Go, My Love," and there were others by Mana Zucca, Huntington Woodman, and C. G. Spross.

Asks Holland for Fugitive Not There

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

THE HAGUE, Dec. 23.—According to an agency telegram, the German Government has demanded the extradition of Kurt Vogel, who was implicated in the murder of Rosa Luxemburg and fled to Holland with a false passport some time ago. It is evident that this demand is made merely to appease the Independent Socialists, as Vogel is now safe in South America.

Dine Cantor Josef Rosenblatt.

A dinner in recognition of his war service to charity was tendered last evening to Josef Rosenblatt, a cantor, by the Bikur Cholin Kosher Hospital, Brooklyn, together with other ornagizations. Mr. Rosenblatt gave his services as cantor without charge to charitable institutions. The dinner was held in Krotsky's restaurant, in the Broadway Hotel. The guests included Judge Jacob S. Schrahl, Judge Garrett Hartman, Rabbis Meyer Berlin, Bernard Drachman and Moses Hyanson, and Dr. Philip Klein.

Ditrichstein in New Role Jan. 5.

Leo Ditrichstein will come to the Booth Theatre on Monday night, Jan. 5, in "The Purple Mask," a melodrama by Paul Armont and Jean Manoussi. The company will include Brandon Tynan, Lily Cahill, Orlando Daly, and Earle Mitchell.

THE PLAY

By Alexander Woollcott

THE WHIRLWIND, a play in four acts and five scenes, by George C. Hazelton and Ritter Brown, founded on the novel of the same name by Mr. Brown. At the Standard Theatre.

Dona Fernandez	Helen Tracy
Padre Antonio	Frank Andrews
Dick Yankton	John C. King
Don Felipe Ramirez	John Davidson
Chiquita	Mimi Aguglia
Captain Forest	Orrin Johnson
Bessie Van Ashton	Vivienne Osborne
Mrs. Forest	Rose Coghlan
Colonel Van Ashton	Oswald Yorke
Blanche Lennox	Paula Shay
Bob Carlton	Joseph Sweeney
Jim Blake	John Harrington
Juana	Jessie Villars
Mariquita	Miriam Battista

Mimi Aguglia Transplanted.

"The Whirlwind" is the name of the naive and old-fashioned melodrama of dime novel flavor which was presented to New York last evening at the Standard Theatre—a Mexican romance contrived by George C. Hazelton and Ritter Brown from a story Mr. Brown wrote once upon a time. It is a play unsuited for (and probably not intended for) the sophisticated public, a lurid drama done in the style of a bygone day and calling for acting of the bosom-beating sort. It gets it with a vengeance from Mimi Aguglia, whom "The Whirlwind" serves to introduce as an English-speaking actress.

This stormy Sicilian player has acted in her native tongue up and down the towns of Italy, to say nothing of Berlin, Paris, London and New York, where for many years now she has been enrapturing her compatriots who dwell in our midst. She emerges at last in an American play, in which she is expected to embody an Indian girl against a background of palm trees and castanets and gringoes and greasers.

Memories of Nazimova, Lopokova and Varesi haunt you as you watch her. You note with interest that, without beauty to aid her, without a particle of grace, with nothing but the crudest tricks of her craft in her equipment, she still has enough physical eloquence and enough of the inborn fire to kindle you. She rivets your attention, even when she is at her stagiest in a stagey scene. For instance the third act ends when, in the crowded patisserie of the old Spanish Innuendo's house, the priest cries out:

"Tell me in the name of the church, Chiquita," in the name of the church I command you to speak. Has this child the right to call you mother?"

Two minutes of silence, during which Chiquita stands making faces. Finally, as she clasps the child's head to her bosom and rolls her eyes to heaven, she answers with a gulp:

"Yes, Padre!"

Such talents as those of Orrin Johnson's, Paula Shay's, Oswald Yorke's, and John Davidson's are employed in the Aguglia support. Such veterans as Helen Tracy and Rose Coghlan go through "The Whirlwind" at her side, both of them doubtless thinking of a day when such pieces were more common, although you might not think it from the number of essays written recently on the decline of the theatre.

TREASURERS ASK UNION AID

Complain of the Shuberts, Who Are Replacing Them with Women.

New York's theatre box office men are up in arms over what they consider unfair treatment by the Shuberts, and members of their organization, the Treasurers' Club of America, said yesterday that they had applied for a charter in the American Federation of Labor.

The chief complaint of the treasurers is concerned with a new system being introduced by the Shuberts, in accordance with which the ticket boxes at the various theatres are required to be taken to the main office for recounting on the morning following the performances. It is charged also by the treasurers that several of their number have recently been discharged without cause and their places taken by girls.

The treasurers' organization, it was said, would demand a uniform salary of $100 a week for treasurers, $40 for assistant treasurers in the leading theatres, and additional payment for Sunday duty. They will also ask that box offices be open only from 10 in the morning until 9 at night.

Lee Shubert, when advised of the purposed action, said that he would welcome the affiliation of the box office men with the labor federation. All of the men discharged, he said, had been discharged for cause. His firm, he said, would replace the men in the box offices with women as rapidly as possible, and declared it was his experience that the latter were more courteous.

Women treasurers have already been installed at the Comedy, the Forty-fourth Street, and a number of other Shubert houses.

Mona Gondre Sings and Acts.

Mona Gondré, a singing actress whom Mrs. Francis Rogers introduced in private here, gave her first public recital yesterday at the Princess Theatre, presenting with delightful mimicry the old French folk songs and little war ballads that she sang to soldiers in the great war, and adding Irish melodies in a droll brogue that she learned at that time. The Breton "Jeune Servante et Son Vieux Curé" was a rare bit of vocal comedy, done with vivacious gesture and mocking eyes, as was Jacques Normand's "Petit Soldat" among spoken pieces. Jean Verd assisted at the piano, notably so in keeping agile pace with the broken phrase of Brockway's "Nightingale" and Lohr's "I Remember Meeting You."

FORMALLY LAUNCH DR. BUTLER'S BOOM

Friends Will Carry Fight for Delegates Into All State Presidential Primaries.

IS NOT A "FAVORITE SON"

Republican Demand for Columbia's Chief Is Nation-Wide, Asserts Judge Davies.

The Presidential boom for Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia was formally launched last night when announcement was made that his friends would go into every State where the law provides for Presidential primaries, and make a fight for delegates. South Dakota will probably be the only exception, it being too late.

According to an announcement at the Hotel Commodore, where Municipal Judge John R. Davies has maintained Butler headquarters for two weeks, Dr. Butler has considerable strength in the West and Northwest.

"A telegram from Minneapolis says The Minneapolis Tribune, the most influential Republican newspaper in that State, tomorrow in an editorial will urge Mr. Butler's nomination," said Judge Davies. "The fact that the first gun is fired in Minnesota, rather than in the East, is significant of the nation-wide demand."

Judge Davies said the Butler boom was not in any sense a mere "favorite son" movement. "It rests entirely upon Dr. Butler's fitness for the office and upon his equipment to deal with international and domestic problems," he added.

In a formal statement Judge Davies said:

"As a result of informal conferences which have been held and expressions of opinion invited from all parts of the country, it is believed Mr. Butler will have more votes on the first ballot than any other candidate before the convention, and that he will be nominated.

"It is urged in support of Mr. Butler that his long and successful career as the administrator of a great public undertaking has thoroughly proved his qualities as a man of affairs and as a business executive. This is precisely what the country so sorely needs.

"Mr. Butler's Americanism and his vigorous speeches on public questions, have given him a position of commanding leadership in forming the public opinion of the people. The strong support which Mr. Butler has in the Western States is paralleled by his strength in New York, in New Jersey (in which State he was born), in Pennsylvania, and in New England. Mr. Butler is also very strong in the Far West and on the Pacific Coast.

"During the years when Theodore Roosevelt was Governor and President, Mr. Butler was his closest unofficial adviser. He is fully familiar with the administration of government, both State and national. He is a life-long Republican, whose convictions and principles are well known. His election would insure that the best brains of the country would be called to Washington to take part in the administration of the nation's business.

"No other American, in or out of public office, is better known abroad or has more international influence. This fact would be of great assistance in developing a truly American foreign policy and in securing support and co-operation for it among other nations."

SEEK ILLINOIS FOR WOOD.

General's Supporters Open Headquarters Near Those of Lowden.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Supporters of Major Gen. Leonard Wood from Central and Middle Western States met today and arranged a Presidential campaign for the General in Illinois. Headquarters were opened near those of Governor Lowden.

The meeting was conducted by Colonel W. C. Proctor of Cincinnati.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Gorki's "Night Lodging," now being acted at the Plymouth at special matinees, will be produced in Yiddish at the Irving Place Theatre on Friday night. The resident Yiddish company, headed by Maurice Schwartz, will present the play under the title of "Nachtasyl."

Grock, a French clown, will make his American debut next week at the Palace Theatre.

Lillian Lorraine will leave "The Little Blue Devil" at the end of the run of that piece here on Jan. 3, and will then re-enter vaudeville.

Charles Dillingham's production of "The Night Boat," a musical comedy by Anne Caldwell and Jerome Kern, will have its premiere in Baltimore next Monday. The cast will be headed by Jack Hazzard, Louise Groody, Stella Hoban, Hal Skelley, Hansford Wilson, Ada Lewis, Ernest Torrence, and Lillian Kemble Cooper.

"Wedding Bells" will be produced in London in February by Salisbury Field.

Rehearsals of Clare Kummer's comedy, "Rollo's Wild Oat," will begin on Jan. 4. Roland Young will head the cast.

The management of the Rialto and Rivoli Theatres has taken over the Sixty-third Street Music Hall for a short term, and will use it as a children's theatre in the afternoons and for the revival of motion picture successes in the evenings.

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CORDIER ADVANCES TO FINAL ROUND IN SQUASH TOURNAMENT BY DEFEATING RIGGS

CORDIER WILL MEET BAKER IN THE FINAL

Yale Club Squash Star Overpowers Riggs and Wins by 15-10, 15-9, 15-11.

PLAYS FROM MINUS TEN

But Cancels Heavy Handicap Early In Each Set — Championship Will Be Decided Saturday.

Augustus J. Cordier of the Yale Club won his way into the final round of the national handicap squash tennis tournament at the Columbia University Club yesterday afternoon by defeating Royal E. T. Riggs of the Squash Club in three straight games, 15—10, 15—9, 15—11. With Riggs rated at scratch, the winner played from minus ten, which meant that he actually scored 75 points in the match, as against a total of 30 by his opponent.

Cordier gave one of the most remarkable exhibitions of hard and accurate hitting seen on any of the local courts in many a day, and his game was far stronger all around than when he eliminated F. S. Keeler on the previous afternoon. Riggs also played exceedingly well, and the rallies that resulted were a constant delight to the gallery.

The Squash Club man, however, was unfortunate in having a style that exactly suited his slugging rival. He hits fairly hard himself, and generally trusts to speed rather than change of pace or steady defensive work to win his points. Most of his shots came up to Cordier on the latter's forehand, where he is sure death to an easy bound, and it was seldom that he had to cover much court to make his return.

Riggs, on the other hand, could not get over the ground fast enough to keep up with the lightning speed of Cordier's drives, and, while his wind was surprisingly good, a long rally frequently drew him into a decisive error. The Yale man, moreover, served exceedingly well, scoring no less than nine aces directly off his delivery in the course of the match.

Cordier's Shots Well Placed.

An analysis of the winning strokes shows that Cordier earned the great majority of his points, killing the ball cleanly eight times in the first game, ten times in the second, and twelve times in the third. With his nine service aces added in, this gave him a total of thirty-nine technical placements, quite aside from the many occasions on which he forced a losing shot on the part of his rival.

Even more impressive than his offensive work was the way in which Cordier kept his opponent from scoring. His own total of errors for the match was only twenty, and he allowed only ten earned points to be registered against him. Whenever the pace became too hot and he seemed in real danger, Cordier managed to put Riggs out of the service with an irresistible smash, often putting the ball away immediately from its delivery.

In the opening game he kept the loser scoreless for five successive hands, in the second for series of six and four, and in the third for another string of six ciphers. His own best run was one of six aces in the final game, which also contained a five, and there were two fives to his credit in the opener and a four in the second game. The consistency of Cordier's scoring is indicated by the fact that he counted points for six successive hands in the first game, for seven in the second and for five in the third, this last streak being worth a total of thirteen, almost the value of a full game.

If Cordier plays such squash on Saturday afternoon, when he faces his clubmate, Donald S. Baker, in the final round, it is difficult to see how he can be kept from winning the title, even though he will again be compelled to play from ten points below the line against a scratch man who has already proved his exceptional ability against such stars as Livingston Platt, E. C. Olds and G. M. Rushmore.

With the exception of a tendency to hit low, resulting in an occasional unnecessary bang at the tell-tale, Cordier's game yesterday was practically flawless, as steady and sensational on defense as it was spectacular in the dazzling smash of its attack. Riggs stuck to his guns in plucky fashion, but he never had a real chance. Like Keeler on the preceding afternoon, he did his best work after the score had been balanced and they were proceeding on even terms.

Riggs Is Never Dangerous.

Cordier, however, saw to it that Riggs never ran up so much of a lead as Keeler had enjoyed in every one of their three games. His opponent had scored only three points in the opener when the minus ten was canceled. In the second he was held at two until Cordier had run no fewer than seventeen. The third found Riggs with five points to his credit at the time that Cordier crossed the line, and he stayed there while the winner ran eight more, thus putting the match on ice.

So far as the details are concerned, they were largely a repetition of the same thing, Cordier walloping the ball around the court and refusing to miss until it flew absolutely beyond his reach or that of his opponent. He won the service on the toss, and promptly chopped two points off his handicap with fast shots to the corners. Riggs responded with two singles, also well placed shots, but gave the Yale man a tell-tale in the third hand, and then saw two more sizzling drives get away from him.

In the ninth hand Cordier made his first big run, starting out with a service ace, and totaling five on a combination of errors and smashes before he was put out. The last point of this series gave him his first score above the line, a splendid rally ending when Riggs hit the tell-tale.

The Squash Club star came back immediately with a good cluster of three aces, getting the first two on Cordier's tell-tale and out, and placing the third cleanly. They both went scoreless in the next hand, killing the service with mutual enthusiasm. But two hands later, Cordier again scored five in a row, two of the points coming off his puzzling serves. Riggs was blanked when he again hit the tell-tale, and although he picked up one in the next hand, after a great get of a smash, close up, he saw three more scored against him on the Yale man's succeeding service.

Cordier Exhibits Speed.

For two successive hands Cordier put out his rival by murdering his serves, and, although Riggs counted twice more, the game ended at 15—10 in the nineteenth hand, with a pair of tallies for the eventual winner. The second began with a let, and then both failed to put over a score for two hands. Riggs broke the ice when Cordier missed a difficult bounce, but after this the Eli proceeded to pile up the points through seven hands in succession, canceling his minus ten with the loser anchored at the mark of two. Cordier had progressed to seven above the line before Riggs scored again. A run of four in the seventeenth hand clinched the game for the Yale man, although Riggs made five more aces after being hopelessly beaten, with Cordier needing only three for the 15—9 decision.

In the final session, Riggs gathered three points on his second service, and increased his total to five by the time five hands had been played. But here he stuck, while Cordier ran five in one hand, then cleaned up his handicap with a pair of brilliant shots, after great defensive work, and eventually reached a total of eight with his best run of the day. Riggs braced, and made a good pull-up after seeming all out of it; but Cordier continued to count in every hand, and a run of three finished the business, the concluding point coming on a serve which hugged the wall so closely that a return was impossible.

The summary and detailed scores follow:

Semi-final Round—A. J. Cordier, Yale (—10) defeated R. E. T. Riggs, Squash Club (scratch), 18—10, 15—9, 15—11.

SCORE BY POINTS.

First Game.

		Hdcp.	Ttl.
Cordier	2 0 1 2 0 1 0 0 5 0 0 1 5 1 3 1 1 0 2	—10	15
Riggs	1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 ..	0	10

Cordier—8 placements, 1 telltale, 1 miss, 1 out, 3 service aces.
Riggs—7 placements, 5 telltales, 4 misses, 5 outs.

Second Game.

		Hdcp.	Ttl.
Cordier	0 0 0 2 2 1 2 2 2 1 2 0 3 1 0 1 1 4 0 0 2 0 1	—10	15
Riggs	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 3 0 ..	0	9

Cordier—10 placements, 4 telltales, 3 misses, 2 service aces.
Riggs—2 placements, 4 telltales, 6 misses, 3 outs.

Third Game.

		Hdcp.	Ttl.
Cordier	1 1 0 1 0 5 2 0 0 2 0 8 1 2 1 3	—10	15
Riggs	0 3 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 2 1 ..	0	11

Cordier—12 placements, 4 telltales, 2 misses, 4 outs, 4 service aces.
Riggs—1 placement, 4 telltales, 3 misses, 2 outs.

TO REVIVE MARATHON.

Brooklyn-Sea Gate Race Will Be Run on Feb. 23 Next.

The Brooklyn-Sea Gate Marathon race, before the war one of the annual fixtures in the history of local amateur athletics, will be revived next year. The race will be run on Feb. 23, under the auspices of the Fifth Company, 13th Coast Artillery Corps, which heretofore has promoted the race under the name of Battery E. The decision to revive the fixture and the selection of a date, was made last night at a meeting held in the Thirteenth Regiment Armory, at which Captain Joseph G. Hardmeyer, of the Fifth Company, presided.

This race run for many years over the full Marathon distance, was originated ten years ago by the old Battery E, now known as the Fifth Company, 13th C. A. C. The event was last contested in 1915, when, because of the unfavorable weather conditions, the distance was cut to twenty miles. The officials, preparing for the revival race, have taken consideration of the prospective weather and have shifted the date back from Lincoln's Birthday to Washington's Birthday, accepting the latter date with the expectation of having more favorable weather.

In view of the fact that Washington's Birthday will fall on a Sunday in the coming year, it has been decided to hold the race on Feb. 23, when the holiday will be celebrated. Charles Pores, of the Millrose A. A., national five-mile running champion, captured the premier prize in the last running of the Brooklyn-Sea Gate Marathon. The 1914 race, held over the full marathon distance, was won by Harry Parkinson of the Morningside A. C., who was then running for the Broadhurst Field Club.

N. Y. A. C. SLATE NAMED.

Opposition to Committee's Choice for Officers Likely to Develop.

An interesting fight for election is promised at the annual meeting of the New York A. C., to be held Jan. 13 in the Mercury Foot Clubhouse. Following the announcement of the regular list of candidates, it was reported yesterday that several independent nominees would compete in the balloting in opposition to those selected by the club's Nomination Committee. George J. Corbett, Chairman of the Winged Foot Trapshooting Committee, is selected as the candidate for the Presidency, which office will be vacated by Dr. Graeme M. Hammond, who has declined renomination. William C. Poertner has been approved by the Nominating Committee for Vice President, Arthur McAleenan, Sr., for re-election as Captain, Frederick R. Fortmeyer for re-election as Secretary, and Martin S. Paine for re-election as Treasurer.

The contest, it is understood, will hinge on the balloting for Vice President. It is reported that W. A. Hines, a former Governor of the club, is planning to run independently in opposition to Mr. Poertner. Members of the club have until New Year's Day to produce the names of rival candidates to the regular ticket.

PLAN BOXING IN COLLEGES.

Penn Will Urge Its Adoption as Intercollegiate Sport.

One of the matters to be discussed by the college physical directors here at the meeting Dec. 30 of the National Collegiate Athletic Association will be the introduction of boxing as an intercollegiate minor sport. Boxing, probably more than any other sport, received a tremendous impetus during the war. Army and navy officers adopted it in every unit as a healthy means of stimulating rivalry in the ranks, and the return of demobilized soldiers to civilian life has found the sport high in favor among amateurs.

Dr. R. Tait McKenzie of the University of Pennsylvania, head of the department of physical education, will lead the discussion at the meeting and will recommend the adoption of boxing on a recognized intercollegiate basis. Pennsylvania boxers are especially interested in the formation of an intercollegiate league, and in the event of the National Association's granting its approval to such an organization, the Penn team will take an active part in it. Several of the Eastern universities have indorsed the intercollegiate boxing plan, thus enabling Penn to arrange a better schedule for this year's team than ever before. The schedule includes bouts with Annapolis, Massachusetts Tech., Temple University, and Penn State, which will take place during January, February, and March.

71ST REGIMENT'S MEET.

Three Metropolitan Championship Events Are on the Program.

Interest is running high among the different companies of the Seventy-first Regiment in anticipation of the regimental games to be held in the East Thirty-fourth Street Armory Jan. 16. The program will provide ten competitions for members and the many athletes on the Seventy-first's rolls are preparing daily for the games. Three novelty events will be a centipede race for teams of twelve men each, in which the competitors will ride astride of a 20-foot pole for one lap, a distance of 176 yards; a sack race and an obstacle race.

This meet will usher in the new year in local athletics, and every effort is being made by the committee to make it the greatest ever held by the Seventy-first. The outstanding events will be the Metropolitan A. A. U. championship tests at 1,000 yards, one-mile walk, and putting the 16-pound shot. This trio of titular competitions is expected to attract the district's leading athletes. In addition to the three championships and the military events, Captain Richard C. Heather, in charge of the games, has added a 65-yard open handicap dash to the program. Entries for the meet will close Jan. 5.

FORM NEW HOCKEY LEAGUE.

Harvard, Dartmouth, Y. D., and B. A. A. In Boston Organization.

BOSTON, Dec. 23.—A new hockey league has been established in Boston, consisting of the Harvard and Dartmouth clubs, the YD Club and the Boston Athletic Association. The league has been officially named the Boston Amateur Hockey League. Dartmouth was the last club admitted into the league, and the action was taken largely in view of the fact that the Hanover college will go in more strongly for hockey in the future, plans having been made for the construction of three new covered hockey rinks in Hanover.

RICHARDS DEFEATS BASSFORD AT NET

Meets Sturdy Opposition in Junior Tennis Tilt—Final in Boys' Singles Reached.

Vincent Richards, the Yonkers tennis prodigy, advanced a step nearer the successful defense of the national junior indoor title at the 7th Regiment Armory yesterday morning, when he defeated Abraham Bassford, 3d, in the second round of the tournament, 6—4, 6—0. Other notable winners of the day were Travers Le Gros, who captured two matches in the singles; F. T. Osgood, Jerry Lange, William Aydelotte, and Kenneth Stoddard. Frank Anderson picked up a bracket by default, and Alfred H. Chapin, Jr., this year's runner-up for the national junior championship outdoors, dropped out of the event by the same route. The final round of the boys' singles was reached, with Valentine Gress and Charles M. Wood, Jr., as the survivors, and a start was made in the general doubles tourney, in which both classes are mixed.

Richards had to travel at his best pace to eliminate young Bassford, and was hard pressed throughout the opening set. These two had met once before in the final round of a national boys' championship at Forest Hills, and on that occasion also the battle was by no means one-sided. Bassford is the senior title holder in the Seventh Regiment Tennis Club, and possesses a game that will make any of the ranking players hustle. His best stroke is his forehand drive, a beautiful shot, fast and generally well placed. Yesterday he also served exceedingly well, winning his delivery four times in succession in the first set. His volleying, however, was uncertain, and in deep court he often allowed his opponent's chopping returns to beat him on his back-hand.

Richards was in great form all the way, growing stronger as he progressed, and returning practically everything that he could reach. There was more sting to his service than usual, and he tallied a number of clean aces with a fast, breaking ball. At the net he made few mistakes, and one volley was generally enough to account for a point.

Stands Mathematical Test.

The indoor champion gave the mathematical ranking system an interesting test yesterday. Technically he might be expected to beat Bassford about six games to two in every set. Therefore, when his score was only 6—4 in the opener, he was compelled to win a love set to maintain his average. This he proceeded to do in impressive style, with the chairman of the ranking committee present as a spectator. Evidently Richards intends to take no more chances with such an uncertain thing as mathematics.

Jerry Lange's one-sided victory over Louis B. Dailey, Jr., was a triumph for another Yonkers tennis product. The winner is still literally among the small boys of the game, but his well-grounded play wins him a surprising number of matches against bigger, stronger, and older opponents.

The smallest entry in either event, however, is Charles M. Wood, Jr., one of the finalists among the boys, and a more than possible winner in that class. Only fourteen years old, and by far the shortest in stature of all the competitors, he plays with all the confidence and skill of an experienced tournament star. His win over Louis Roullion, Jr., at 6—3, 6—1 yesterday was accomplished in spectacular style.

Two Matches for Gress.

Valentine Gress had a harder time reaching the finals on the other side of the draw. He first had to eliminate Noble in straight sets, and then was carried through three close sessions by Walter E. Houghton, eventually winning at 6—2, 4—6, 6—2.

In the doubles, Dailey and Osgood began with an impressive victory over Tucker and Aydelotte, taking both sets by the same score, 6—3. Wood and Bernstein combined successfully, as did Hopkins and Butterworth, and Bradley and Paul Hicks. Richards and Frank Anderson are partners in the team event, and look like the strongest combination that the draw presents. Bassford and Le Gros, who advanced yesterday by a default, should also make a good showing.

The summaries:

Junior National Indoor Championship.

SINGLES—FIRST ROUND—Travers Le Gros defeated Morris H. Ruger, 6—3, 6—0; Frank T. Anderson won from Albert J. Senior by default; R. F. Green won from Alfred H. Chapin, Jr., by default.

SECOND ROUND—Franklin T. Osgood defeated David Caywood, Jr., 6—2, 7—5; Kenneth Stoddard defeated Carleton C. Hubbell, Jr., 6—4, 6—4; Vincent Richards defeated Abraham Bassford, 3d, 6—4, 6—0; Travers Le Gros defeated Paul D. Hicks, 6—3, 6—4; Frank T. Anderson won from R. F. Green by default; Jerry Lang defeated Louis B. Dailey, Jr., 6—2, 6—3; William Aydolette defeated Henry Levine, 6—0, 6—0.

Boys' National Indoor Championship.

SINGLES—SECOND ROUND — Valentine Gress defeated William P. Noble, 6—2, 6—3.

SEMI-FINAL ROUND—Valentine Gress defeated Walter E. Houghton, 6—2, 4—6, 6—2; Charles M. Wood, Jr., defeated Louis Roullion, Jr., 6—3, 6—1.

DOUBLES—FIRST ROUND — Charles M. Wood, Jr., and Morton Bernstein defeated William R. Hicks and Valentine Gress, 6—1, 6—2; Sydney K. Bradley and Paul D. Hicks defeated John Stelts, Jr., and H. Duryee, 6—3, 7—5; A. L. Hopkins, Jr., and Benjamin Butterworth defeated Parke Cummings and Jordon B. Darbey, 6—2, 6—3; Abraham Bassford, 3d, and Travers Le Gros won from Carleton C. Hubbell, Jr., and partner by default; Louis B. Dailey, Jr., and Franklin T. Osgood defeated J. Jerome Tucker, 2d, and William Aydolotte, 6—3, 6—3.

Miller Sold to Little Rock.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 23.—R. G. Allen, President of the Little Rock club of the Southern Association, has announced the purchase of Outfielder E. ("Bing") Miller, from Detroit. Miller played a few games with the Atlanta club last season, but was compelled to quit the game because of illness.

Holy Cross Signs Burkett Again.

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 23.—Jesse C. Burkett today signed a contract to coach the Holy Cross College baseball team next year.

CRESCENTS SWAMP AGGIES.

Brooklyn Club Five Scores at Will and Wins by 57 to 19.

Gil Parmele, former Princeton player, and Orson Kinney, who once sported the Blue of Yale in basket ball competition, led the Crescent A. C. quintet to an overwhelming victory over the New York Aggies last night in the New Moon gymnasium in Brooklyn. The score was 57 to 19, making the tenth consecutive victory the New Mooners have registered since they opened their season.

Parmele and Kinney, alternating forwards, accounted for thirty-one of their team's points, Parmele scoring six field goals and four from foul, while Kinney, who was substituted for the former Tiger player, caged three field goals and nine from foul.

The Crescent quintet completely outclassed and outplayed the Farmingdale collegians in every department of the game. Almost with the starting whistle the club team broke through the defense of the Aggies and thereafter scored points with monotonous regularity. A variety of plays, which were engineered with bewildering effect, kept the Aggies too busy on the defensive to give much thought to an offensive in the opening half, which ended with the score favoring the Crescent five at 30 to 11. A short-lived rally was produced by the Farmingdale collegians soon after the whistle started the contending teams on their final half of the game, but the New Mooners quickly reverted to the attack and carried the play consistently to the Aggies' territory until the final whistle ended the fray.

The lineup:

CRESCENT A. C. (57)		N. Y. AGGIES (19).
Parmele	R. F.	Nichols
Stannard	L. F.	Sarr
McTigue	C.	Moss
Nicklas	R. G.	Leitner
Butler	L. G.	O'Brien

Goals from floor—Parmele (6), Stannard (5), McTigue, Nicklas, Kinney (3), Dayton (2), Griffin, Lunden (3), Nichols (5), Sarr. Goals from foul—Parmele (4), Kinney (9), Nichols (7).

Substitutions—Crescent A. C.: Kinney for Parmele, Dayton for Stannard, Griffin for McTigue, Heath for Nicklas, Lunden for Butler, Trenkman for Griffin. N. Y. Aggies: Donnelly for Sarr, Van Telt for Moss, Powers for Leitner, Winchester for Powers, Verio for Winchester.

Referee—Mr. Brunn, Pratt Institute. Time of halves—Twenty minutes.

ST. JOHN'S FIVE DEFEATED.

Cooper Union's Basket Ball Team Wins Close Game by 24 to 20.

Cooper Union Institute of Technology's basket ball team scored its opening victory of the season last night when it defeated the St. John's College of Brooklyn quintet on the latter's court, by the score of 24 to 20, after one of the most exciting games of the local collegiate season. The almost uncanny shooting of Hal Rhodes, the big Cooper Union centre, was the greatest factor in his team's triumph, for, just when it seemed that the Brooklyn collegians would rally, Rhodes would inaugurate an offensive which invariably demoralized the Brooklynite's play and threw the St. John's quintet on the defensive. Rhodes, during the game, accounted for six field goals, being the greatest individual scorer.

The Cooper Union five led in scoring practically from start to finish of the contest. St. John's showed to advantage early in the opening half, but after solving their rivals' attack the Cooper Union aggregation forged to the front with a consistent offensive and accurate shooting in which Rhodes showed the way. The whistle at the end of the first half found the Cooper Union quintet in front by a score of 14 to 11.

In the second half, St. John's launched a concentrated attack and furnished stiff opposition to the Manhattanites, but the sustained play of the Cooper Union five carried it to victory.

The lineup:

COOPER UNION (24).		ST. JOHN'S (20).
Tynan	L. F.	Damico
Bossert	R. F.	Froehlich
Rhodes	C.	McDermott
Meier	L. G.	Keenan
Sprung	R. G.	Cirillo

Field goals—Tynan, Rhodes (6), Meier, Gold, Damico (3), Froelich (4). Goals from foul—Sprung (6), Damico (5), Froelich.

Substitutions—Cooper Union: Maggin for Tynan, Gold for Bossert. St. John's College: Murphy for Cirillo.

Referee—Tom Thorp, Columbia University. Time of halves—Twenty minutes.

XAVIER FIVE BEATS ALUMNI.

Graduates Lose Close Game of Basket Ball by Score of 22 to 19.

Xavier High School's basket ball team defeated the Alumni quintet yesterday in their clash on the high school's court by the close margin of 22 to 19. The game was keenly contested throughout and not until the final whistle was the winning team actually decided. The Alumni aggregation, composed of two Georgetown players, a similar number from Holy Cross and another from Fordham, encountered stiff opposition from the young high school lads, who battled stiffly for every inch of ground. The first half ended with the grads in front by the slim margin of 10 to 9. This close score prevailed during the second half, when the lead alternated frequently. A concerted rally in the closing few minutes of play, however, gave the high school quintet the advantage and they retained it to the final whistle. Steffens and Lynch were the leading scorers for the victorious five.

The lineup:

XAVIER H. S. (22).		ALUMNI (19).
Steffens	R. F.	Mullin
Langdon	L. F.	Carney
Lynch	C.	Buckley
Herlihy	R. G.	McMahon
Hanigan	L. G.	McNally

Field goals—Steffens (3), Langdon, Lynch (3), Herlihy (2), Hanlon; Mullin (2), Carney, Buckley, McMahon (3), McNally (2). Goals from foul—Hanlon, Herlihy; McMahon.

Substitution—Xavier H. S.: Hanlon for Steffens.

Referee—Mr. Himmel, Xavier H. S. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes.

W. and L. to Play Mountaineers.

Special to The New York Times.

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 23.—West Virginia University completed arrangements today to meet Washington and Lee University at football at Charleston, S. C., on Nov. 6 next year. The game marks the renewal of a long string of hard-fought contests which terminated, in 1915, when the West Virginia coach withdrew his team from the field because of an alleged poor decision by an official.

HARVARD TEAM HAS A SHORT WORKOUT

Football Players Leave Train for Twenty Minutes of Practice in Wyoming.

Special to The New York Times.

OGDEN, Utah, Dec. 23.—The Harvard team had an excellent opportunity for a fast workout today at Green River, Wyo., when the train bearing them West stopped for twenty minutes. Coach Fisher first had the men go through a short informal session of punting on the gravel surface of the ground adjoining the depot. A ten-minute signal drill followed with two elevens prancing up and down the grounds, an interested group of spectators being a number of Indian workmen. So far about 200 aboriginals have been sighted, and the players who expected to see them in the proverbial garb of the movies were disappointed. The Indian as he is being seen on this trip wears a pair of blue overalls and a broad sombrero and is impressively peaceful.

The squad, according to Trainer Pooch Donovan, is in good shape, taking into consideration their long journey. The players just cut loose this afternoon, and to give them further opportunity to get rid of their pent-up ambition Donovan called for setting-up exercises at 4 o'clock.

A number of colds have developed on the trip, although most of the sufferers felt them before the journey. Dr. Derry Parmenter, coach for the centres, is treating the invalids, and promises to have them rid of their trouble before the trip is ended.

Eddie Mahan met Bill Klephardt, an old roommate of his at Andover days, while the team was at Green River.

The train service improved over night, when two of the five hours lateness in schedule were made up, but this morning much of the gain was lost when engine trouble made necessary the commandeering of a freight locomotive, the afternoon two engines were used, and a brave attempt to make up lost time resulted in shaving off more than an hour.

Judge William Thomas has notified the Harvard management that the Christmas Eve dinner to the team will be held on Christmas Day instead, and therefore a late arrival will not inconvenience either the host or the guests. The scheduled time of reaching San Francisco is shortly after 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, but the present indications are that the cars will pull in about three hours later.

"Alkali Joe" Hughes, who has been in the Pullman service twenty-six years, is in charge of the Harvard car. He has carried all the big men about the country, and talks familiarly of the late Teddy Roosevelt, Senator Lodge and others. He is overzealous in his care for the team, and now and then reports infractions of the rules to either Regent Luce or Fred Moore, the graduate manager.

The team will stop at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, and will be taken on a sightseeing tour of the city Christmas morning by alumni. Judge Thomas will preside at the dinner at noon.

OREGON IN SECRET DRILL.

Western Football Team Practices for Big Game with Harvard.

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 23.—Secret practice was continued today by the University of Oregon football squad in preparation for the game New Year's Day with the Harvard University eleven.

The Oregonians' schedule calls for two practice periods daily, the first in the morning, when it is cool, and the second late in the afternoon, running into twilight. This, it is said, will give the men a chance to get acquainted with the kind of weather they are likely to play in when they tackle Harvard.

They were out of training from their Thanksgiving Day game until invited to meet Harvard, and are working hard to make up for the lost time.

The men are divided into groups, according to their special line of work on the team, and each group is taken in charge by a coach.

Coach "Shy" Huntington has charge of the backfield men, "Brick" Mitchell is in charge of the ends, and Bart Spellman of the linesmen.

Navy Bestows Rare Honor in Electing Ewen Captain

Special to The New York Times.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 23.—For the second year, Midshipman Edward C. Ewen of Portsmouth, N. H., will lead the Naval Academy football team, having been named by those who took part in the defeat of the Army at New York last month. It is believed that such an honor has been bestowed on only one other Navy player in the history of the Academy. Ewen has played right end on the team for two years and has been a member of the squad for an extra year. He was a third class man last year and would have graduated this June had the war continued. On the division of the class to restore the four-year course Ewen was assigned to the part graduating in 1921, so he will have another year of football.

C. U. NINE MAY TOUR JAPAN.

Windy City University's Baseball Team May Invade Flowery Kingdom

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Invasion of Japan by the University of Chicago baseball team today was discussed on the campus as one of next Summer's probabilities. The players may leave in June, playing along the route to the Pacific Coast, spend the Autumn in the Orient and return to the college about Christmas, according to the tentative plans.

Chicago teams have made the trip twice before. The 1910 journey through Japan, China, the Philippines and Hawaii was repeated in 1915.

It was understood that the trip depended upon a financially successful football season. Revenue from the gridiron game set a record at Chicago this year.

TOUR FOR ROBINS ELEVEN.

Brooklyn Soccer Players to Meet St. Louis' Strongest Teams.

The Robins Dry Dock team of soccer players, which has been piling up victories during the preliminary season, will leave Brooklyn probably on Christmas night for a tour of the Middle West. Intersectional games have been scheduled against elevens in St. Louis, where there is considerably more interest in the English sport this year than in former seasons. Arrangements have been completed whereby the Robins will play three games, on the probable dates of Dec. 27 and 28 and Jan. 1. It is possible, but not likely, that the dates may be changed to Jan. 1, 3, and 4, but Manager Drysdale of the Brooklyn team has expressed satisfaction over the original schedule.

Winton E. Barker, President of the St. Louis Soccer League, has made plans for the selection of opponents for the New Yorkers. The Ben Millers and the Scullins, two of the strongest St. Louis elevens and survivors of the second-round national challenge cup games, will clash in their third-round battle tomorrow and the winner will meet the Robins in the intersectional games, which will culminate in the national championship final between East and West. It is possible that the Bricklayers and Masons eleven of Chicago, leaders in the Illinois district, may meet the St. Louis winner next week.

YANKS' APPLICATION GRANTED BY COURT

Commission Will Examine Cleveland Club's Officials on Ban Johnson's Holdings.

Justice Vernon M. Davis, in Part I, Special Term of the Supreme Court, yesterday granted the application of the New York American League Baseball Club for an open commission to take oral testimony from officials of the Cleveland Club in relation to the alleged interest of President Ban Johnson in the club.

The order directs a commission, which will be appointed by the court, to go to Cleveland and examine President James C. Dunn, Secretary E. S. Barnard, and Business Manager Walter McNichols, and also to examine the minute book, stock book, and other records of the club.

Attorneys for the New York club brought this action as a step toward the trial of the Carl Mays case which may come up some time in January. One of the affidavits in the case alleges that Mr. Johnson, in his affidavit in the Mays case, endeavored to make it appear that he held $58,000 of par value of the Cleveland Club stocks solely as collateral for a loan, whereas on examination of him before trial admissions were obtained from him strongly indicative that he was in fact a stockholder of the Cleveland Club in that amount.

The affidavit of Colonel T. L. Huston of the Yankees in the case was in part:

"Upon the admission made by the defendant, Johnson, on his examination before trial, and upon information and belief, deponent alleges that he (Johnson) is in reality a stockholder of the Cleveland Baseball Company, and that by examination of the said witnesses and the said records it can be shown that he has in all respects acted and voted as a stockholder; that his omission to have his stock transferred into his own name is a mere "blind" to prevent discovery of his financial interest in this club, and that his story about attending and voting at the stockholders' meetings as the representative (but without a proxy) of a deceased secretary of his is a mere concoction."

Jim Thorpe, the traveling outfielder of the Giants, has been released by Boston to the Akron (Ohio) Club of the International League. Thorpe played last season with the Braves, but Manager Stallings doesn't want him. Just why Boston doesn't want to keep Thorpe is difficult to understand. After several years in the major leagues the famous Indian suddenly blossomed into a good hitter during the 1919 season.

Thorpe ranked with the best batsmen in the National League last season and had a high average of .327, playing in 62 games. For several seasons during the Spring training McGraw spent a great deal of time on Thorpe, trying to make a batter out of him. Thorpe seemed to get every other twist of the game except the hitting. He was always fooled by a curve ball. Jim clouted the ball hard for the Braves and made quite a name for himself as a pinch hitter.

Manager McGraw has corralled two infielders who come highly recommended by former Giants. One of these is Arthur White, who played semi-professional ball in Washington, D. C. White was recommended by Arthur Devlin, who recommended Frank Frisch and James McQuade to the Giants. The other infielder is Frank McGuire, who hails from San Francisco and is highly touted by Fred Snodgrass.

Harry Sparrow, Secretary of the Yankees, will leave for Jacksonville in a day or two to make arrangements for a Spring training camp for the New York club. There are several other places in Florida which are being considered besides Jacksonville, among these being Orlando.

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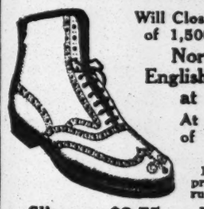

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BREEZE CLIPS TRACK RECORD FOR ONE MILE IN GREAT BURST OF SPEED AT JEFFERSON PARK

NEW TRACK RECORD IS SET BY BREEZE

Son of Ballot Runs Mile in 1:39 Flat at New Orleans, Shaving Mark 1 2-5 Seconds.

BON TROMP WINS HANDICAP

Puts Up Game and Successful Battle Against Determined Challenge of Harry Burgoyne.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23.—Breeze, the fleet bay son of Ballot, was the hero of the day at Jefferson Park, attaining that eminence when he clipped one and two-fifths seconds from the track record established more than two years ago by Cheer Leader. Breeze carried this afternoon 108 pounds, eight pounds more than Cheer Leader's burden on Dec. 5, 1917, and covered the route in 1:39 flat, as against the previous mark of 1:40 2-5.

The noteworthy feat of G. H. Abbott's five-year-old gelding was performed in the fourth race on the card, in which there were seven starters. The track was fast today and the weather conditions favorable, so that a nice mile was expected from Breeze, which is just now in superb form, and set a new track record for the mile and seventy yards course on Wednesday last. The winner was held at a short price, most of the bets on him being laid at 7 to 10 and 4 to 5.

Robinson had the mount on the favorite and got him away well, but Breeze stumbled just after the start and also lost considerable ground through interference in the cary stages. Jack Mount, which carried a lot of money and was backed down several points in the books, forged to the front at the quarter, with Trusty and Franklin in close attendance, while Breeze was rated along next to last. Trusty assumed the pace-making position at the four-furlong stage, with Lively and Jack Mount next. As the field rounded the stretch turn Breeze moved up strongly and bade a final farewell to competition half a furlong from home. He crossed the line three lengths ahead of Jack Mount, which finished gamely and fast, and had half a length lead on Trusty for the place. The latter tired badly in the stretch.

Covers Course Without Rider.

Tailor Maid really finished second, but as she had spilled Coltiletti, her rider, just after the start, she didn't get much of a slice of the purse. In fact, she didn't get honorable mention.

What had been designed to be the feature race of the program, and would have succeeded in drawing the limelight had it not been for the sterling achievement of Breeze, was the Sabine Handicap, run as the fifth event. This race was at six furlongs and was open to horses of all ages. Again a favorite caught the eyes of the arbiters first, but only after a regular horse race. Bon Tromp was the victor, with Harry Burgoyne making a splendid bid and taking the place handily from Enmity, the second choice.

Robinson hustled Bon Trump into the lead almost at the outset and stayed there, giving a game display against the determined challenge of Harry Burgoyne, which was away fast when the barrier was lifted and was close to the leader all the way, finishing a length behind. Enmity began slowly and was taken wide for most of the journey, but closed with a nice burst of speed.

Another successful favorite was Dr. Shafer in the sixth race, which was at a mile and a sixteenth. Caballo carried some so-called "wise money" in this event and was expected to furnish the opposition, but finished outside the money.

Urged for Entire Trip.

Dr. Shafer was away well at the start and Groth urged him hard for the entire trip, keeping him close to the pace, which for seven furlongs was set by Montague. When the stretch was reached Montague had had plenty and fell away into the ruck, while Dr. Shafer assumed command and, withstanding a sturdy bid by Audrey K., finished a length to the good. Audrey K. closed a long gap in the final quarter and finished fast. Yermak ran a nice race and, although tiring in the stretch, was only a head behind Audrey K. at the wire.

Fifteen maiden two-year-olds got off in a bunch in the opener, a five-furlong scramble. Again the favorite got the winner's slice, when Emma J., well handled by Butwelk got up in the final strides to nail Virginia d'Or, a well-played good thing, by a scant neck at the wire. Fledgling had a lot of early speed in this race, but weakened in the last furlong, and Emma J. and Virginia d'Or, both well up all the way, came along to beat Fledgling by the narrowest of margins.

The second race called for a journey of five and a half furlongs and was won by General, an outsider in the speculation. Rodriguez had the mount and gave a good display of horsemanship. He kept General well to the fore, but away from the early pace, and moved up with him in the last eighth, drawing out in the stretch to a comparatively easy victory. Scarpia II. took the place and Arch Plotter got the small slice of the purse.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—Purse $500; two-year-olds; claiming; maidens; five furlongs. Emma J., 111½ pounds (Butwell), 9 to 2, 2 to 1, and even, first; Virginia d'Or, 104 (Yeargan), 8 to 1, 4 to 1, and 2 to 1, second; Fledgeling, 109 (Mooney), 6 to 1, 5 to 2, and 8 to 5, third. Time—1:02. Manniken 2d, Bess Wing, Oriental Park, Riddle, P. Moody, Colonel Rockinghorse, Ogden Girl, Cicely Kay, Modiste, De Witt, Bon Master, and Dickey Van also ran.

SECOND RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $500; five and a half furlongs. General, 114 pounds (Rodriguez), 12 to 1, 5 to 1, and 5 to 2, first; Scarpia II., 114 (Rowan), 12 to 1, 5 to 1, and 5 to 2, second; Arch Plotter, 107 (Lunsford), 9 to 5, 4 to 5, and 2 to 5, third. Time—1:07 1-5. Careen, Sabretash, Grumbling Ina, Miss Howell, Jack K., Rellloc, L'Infirmire, Rosemary, and Quartette also ran.

THIRD RACE—Two-year-olds; claiming; purse $500; six furlongs. Edith K., 110 pounds (Buxton), 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, first; Miss Parnell, 98 (Boyle), 11 to 5, 4 to 5, and 1 to 3, second; Sedgegrass, 108 (Wiola), 4 to 1, 7 to 5, and 3 to 5, third. Time—1:14 4-5. Emma Weller, Ragazza, and Neenah also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; purse, $500; one mile. Breeze, 108 pounds (Robinson), 7 to 10, 1 to 3, and out, first; Jack Mount, 108 (Walls), 6 to 1, 8 to 5, and 4 to 5, second; Trusty, 108 (Garner), 12 to 1, 5 to 1, and 2 to 1, third. Time—1:39 (new track record). Tailor Maid, Franklin, Lively, and Dalryman also ran.

FIFTH RACE—The Sabine Handicap; all ages; purse, $700; six furlongs. Bon Tromp, 106 pounds (Robinson), 9 to 5, 3 to 5, and 1 to 5, first; Harry Burgoyne, 105 (Boyle), 15 to 1, 5 to 1, and 5 to 2, second; Enmity, 107 (Lunsford), 12 to 5, 7 to 10, and 1 to 5, third. Time—1:13 3-5. Sans Peur II., Osgood, and Ticklish also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $500; one mile and a sixteenth. Dr. Shafer, 100 pounds (Groth), 5 to 2, 6 to 5, and 3 to 5, first; Audrey K., 100 (Wida), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, and 8 to 5, second; Yermak, 108 (Sterling), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, and 2 to 1, third. Time—1:47 4-5. Montague, Caballo, Newell W., Brown Favorite, Cadillac, Bombast, Yodeler, and John Hurle also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Three-year-olds; claiming; purse, $600; one mile and seventy yards. Brother MacLean, 101 pounds (Boyle), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, and 8 to 5, first; Comine Ci, 113 (Rowan), 6 to 5, 2 to 5, and out, second; Iwin Iwin, 101 (Richcreek), 10 to 1, 7 to 2, and 7 to 5, third. Time—1:44 2-5. Antoinette, Astraea, Pollu, and Tantalus also ran.

Weather clear, track fast.

"CY" SLOCUM DEAD.

Veteran Horse Owner Was Well Known in Turf Circles.

Lee Jerome Slocum, horse owner and turfman, known to thousands as "Cy" Slocum, died last night at his home, 215 West Eighty-eighth Street, from heart failure. His wife went to his aid when he was stricken and he passed away in her arms.

Mr. Slocum was born in Detroit, Mich., fifty-nine years ago. He was a graduate of Michigan University, and came to New York thirty years ago. For more than a score of years he was known to followers of the horses on all race courses. Mr. Slocum started to dispose of his string of horses several month ago. One of his horses, Star Class, won the Liberty Bond Handicap last year at the Empire City track.

Funeral services will be held on Friday morning from the Campbell Funeral Church, Broadway and Sixty-sixth Street, at 11 o'clock.

NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Claiming; purse, $600; for three-year-olds and upward, maidens; mile and a sixteenth. *Durella 102 pounds, *Mayor Galvin 105, Marie Connell 107, Miss Sterling 107, Revolution 112, *Ornella T. 102, Ular 107, Lady Waldeck 107, *Judge David 110.

SECOND RACE—Claiming; purse, $800; for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. *Ruth H. 99 pounds, *Phrone Ward 104, Tit for Tat 107, Sybil 107, El Mahdi 110, Harry Mason 110, Bertano 110, *Miss Kruter 102, *Idali 104, Toomboola 107, Onway 110, M. Berth Thurman 110, Bill Deltchman 110, Shortstop 115. Also eligible: Miss Magee 99, *Juanita 107, Dude of Devonshire 110, Thrills 102.

THIRD RACE—Claiming; purse, $600; for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. *Verity 99 pounds, *Lady Leona 102, Mack Garner 107, Esther L. 107, Sincerity 107, J. C. Cantrill 110, Joseph P. Murphy 110, *Keziah 102, Miss Wright 107, Ruth Strickland 107, *Mallowmont 107, Alonia 107, Senator James 110, Milton Robiee 112. Also eligible: *Lady Eileen 102, Mistake 107, Ninety Simplex 110, James Foster 112.

FOURTH RACE—Claiming; purse, $600; for two-year-olds; six furlongs. *Benecia 102 pounds, *Heads I Win 102, *Biddie Dee 102, Battlemountain 107, Grove A. 110, Little Sandy 110, Watersmeet 112, *Plaything 102, *Cancion 102, *Double Van 105, Rapid Stride 109, Clear the Way 110, Viva Cuba 111, Colonel Murphy 113.

FIFTH RACE—Claiming; purse, $600; for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. *Hidden Jewel 102 pounds, *Converse (imp.) 105, Nathalius 107, Bringhurst 110, A. N. Akin 110, Murphy 110, *Sturdee 111, Brunette Lady 104, Rainbow Girl 107, General Byng 107, Port Light 110, Irish Maid 110, American Eagle 113.

SIXTH RACE—Claiming; purse, $600; for three-year-olds and upward; mile and a sixteenth. *Williean 95 pounds, *Alma B. 101, *Dancer 109, Brown's Favorite 109, McAdoo 113, Thistle's Beau 113, *Dancing Carnivay 100, *Jack Reeves 107, Little String 109, Marshon 112, Ben Hampson 112.

SEVENTH RACE—Claiming; purse, $600; for three-year-olds and upward; mile and three-sixteenths. *Indian Spring 97 pounds, *Lela 100, *Athena 106, Elrey 108, Contestant 108, Dragon Rock 111, *Frank Shannon 100, Fairy Prince 105, Bubbling Louder 108, Lattery 108, Captain Hodge 111, Taniac 111.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear, track fast.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $800. *Brer Fox 100 pounds, *Mike Dixon 105, Wynnewood 108, The Gleamer 108, Pomerene 108, Clip 108, Unwise Child 113.

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; for two-year-olds; claiming; purse, $600. *Vain Chick 100 pounds, *Little One 103, Director James 106, Marcelle M. 108, Major Fisk 111, *Colonel Lillard 111, Captain Tony 111, Hello Pardner 116.

THIRD RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $600. *Magic Mirror 90 pounds, *Snow Queen 96, *The Battlewing 101, *Anxiety 101, Duke Ruff 101, Hasty Cora 106, Theodore Fair 106, Quin 106, Lubelski 109.

FOURTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $600. *Manganese 98 pounds, *Blanchita 101, Iron Boy 101, Skyman 101, Colonel Harrison 105, Assign 106, Walter Mack 106, Blanche Donalton 106.

FIFTH RACE—One mile and fifty yards; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $600. *Terrible Miss 94 pounds, *Galaway 99, *Artist 102, Night Owl 107, Egmont 107, Sasenta 107.

SIXTH RACE—One mile and fifty yards; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse, $600. *Lucky Pearl 97 pounds, *Mary's Magneto 97, Buster Clark 102, *Zodiac 102, *Fly Home 108, Rhymer 110, Ned Mileybright 113.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear, track heavy.

HAVANA VICTORIES TAMELY EARNED

Winners in Four of Six Events Have Things All Own Way—Fair Day for Favorites.

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 23.—The racing at Oriental Park today was decidedly tame and the winners in the first four events had things all their own way. Yorkville, in the third race, made it two in a row when he spreadeagled his field to win by ten lengths. The result was never in doubt after the start. Pierrot was second, four lengths in front of Ambassador III.

Quin, in the opening event, scored easily when he led home his field by eight lengths, defeating Count Boris, the hot favorite. Native Soil was third, three lengths back. Peaceful Star, the receding favorite, was returned the winner in the second race, leading Prince Direct to the wire by two lengths. Tim J. Hogan was third.

Annabelle, well played, took the fourth race, tiring fast but lasting to win by one and a half lengths from Major Bradley, which closed with a rush. Old Red was well up for the entire trip, but quit badly in the last sixteenth. The finish in the fifth was close, the first three horses coming to the wire necks apart, Bill Hunley gaining the decision, with O'Malley second and Jack Healy third. The last race went to the heavily played Exempted. He was backed from 10 to 1 to 6 to 1 at the close. Handsoff was second and Fairly third.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; six furlongs. Quin, 113 pounds (Smith), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, and 2 to 5, first; Count Boris, 113 (Murray), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, and 2 to 5, second; Native Soil, 111 (White), 25 to 1, 8 to 1, and 4 to 1, third. Time—1:18 4-5. Vulcainus, Naomi Walton, Frying Dart, and Burlingame also ran.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; six furlongs. Peaceful Star, 113 (Taylor), 3 to 1, 6 to 5, and 3 to 5, first; Prince Direct, 103 (Archambalt), 3 to 1, 6 to 5, and 3 to 5, second; Tim J. Hogan, 105 (Penaiver), 7 to 2, 7 to 5, and 7 to 10, third. Time—1:17 3-5. Acclamation, Terrible Miss, James G., Enos, and Ralph S. also ran.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; six furlongs. Yorkville, 108 (Carmody), even, 1 to 2, and out, first; Pierrot, 105 (Brown), 2 to 1, 1 to 10, and 1 to 3, second; Ambassador III., 103 (Hoffler), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, and 4 to 5, third. Time—1:16 3-5. Leoti Fay, Unari, and Brizz also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $600; for two-year-olds; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Annabelle, 90 pounds (Jarrell), 2 to 1, even, and 1 to 2, first; Major Bradley, 99 (Merimee), 3 to 1, 6 to 5, and 3 to 5, second; Old Red, 105 (H. Garner), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, and 2 to 5, third. Time—1:11 4-5. He's a Year, Buckhorn II., Steve, Incinerator, and Sentry also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $600; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; one mile and a sixteenth. Bill Hunley, 105 pounds (E. Fator), 5 to 2, even, and 1 to 2, first; O'Malley, 113 (Crump), 8 to 1, 2 to 1, and 8 to 5, second; Jack Healy, 105 (Connors), 3 to 1, even, and 1 to 2, third. Time—1:52 2-5. Candle Light, Sunningdale, Silver Sandals, Little Nearer, and Bill Simmons also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $600; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; one mile and twenty yards. Exempted, 96 pounds (Jarrell), 6 to 1, 5 to 2, and 6 to 5, first; Hands Off, 112 (Crump), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, and even, second; Fairly, 112 (Corey), 12 to 1, 5 to 1, and 5 to 2, third. Time—1:46 3-5. Lady Jane Grey, Woodthrush, Zinnia, Tranby, and Fountain Fay also ran.

Weather clear, track heavy.

PICKS ALL-STAR ELEVEN.

Coach Nies of Princeton Names 1919 Soccer Selections.

Pennsylvania gets four positions and Princeton three on the all-collegiate soccer eleven for 1919, selected annually by Coach Nies of the Princeton squad of soccerites. Cornell, Harvard, Haverford, and Yale each are assigned one man. Coach Nies declares the 1919 mythical eleven to be superior to all-star elevens of former seasons, due to the introduction of soccer in a larger number of preparatory schools in recent years and to the increasing popularity of the sport in many colleges. Penn, for instance, is discussing the feasibility of adopting soccer as a major sport and of awarding the 'varsity letter to members of the team.

The leader for the all-collegiate eleven is Captain Osler of Haverford, the stellar goal for the Quaker aggregation. Others on the first eleven follow: Keyes, Princeton, left full back; Andrews, Cornell, right full back; Tilton, Harvard, left half back; Miller, Princeton, centre half back; Binns, Penn, right half back; West, Princeton, outside left; Coburn, Yale, inside left; Nassau, Penn, centre forward; Spencer, Penn, inside right; Bingham, Penn, outside right.

The second team is: Brady, Cornell, goal; Cooper, Penn, left full back; Darrow, Penn, right full back; Wood, Princeton, left half back; Haan, Cornell, centre half back; Robb, Penn, right half back; Dowling, Penn, outside left; Savage, Princeton, inside left; Hamilton, Princeton, centre forward; Green, Princeton, inside right; Kellet, Harvard, outside right.

A. A. U. BRANCH FOR MAINE.

Pine Tree State Wants Independent Organization in Athletics.

Another new Amateur Athletic Union sectional association will be organized within a short time, if plans already under way in Maine are attended with success. It was learned yesterday that the preliminary negotiations had already been undertaken to install a separate A. A. U. body in the Pine Tree State and that the organization details would probably be completed before the end of the present indoor season. While it is not expected that the proposed new association will be completed in time to permit of the holding of indoor athletic meets, it is predicted the officials will have their plans in such condition as to be prepared to hold outdoor competitions for the athletes of the Maine district.

Mike J. Ryan, athletic director of Colby College, has started the movement for the organization of a separate association. At present Maine is under the jurisdiction of the New England A. A. U., with headquarters in Boston, but Ryan, and the officials he has interested in his project, hold the opinion that the Pine Tree State would attain a higher plane in the nation's amateur athletic life if permitted to conduct its own affairs. Ryan, with other athletic followers of Maine, is now working on the organization plans and expects soon to submit his program to the A. A. U. Redistricting Committee, of which Herman Obertubbesing is Chairman.

Under the rules of the A. A. U., in order to form a new sectional body, it is necessary to receive the signatures of representatives of six clubs to a petition for recognition as an independent association. When this petition is received, it is taken under consideration by the Redistricting Committee and subsequently, if approved, submitted for a mail vote to the Board of Governors of the governing amateur sports body. In the event that the governors indorse the movement, permission is then granted to proceed with the organization plans, after which officers for the new association are selected and the sectional body projected on its independent career.

Under the prevailing conditions, the athletes throughout the State of Maine have practically no good competition outside of the colleges. The college men themselves have only the State intercollegiate meet and the Boston A. A. U. annual games in which to obtain spirited competition. Under the plans outlined by Ryan, it is proposed to organize a Maine State A. A. U., to include the colleges, high schools, Y. M. C. A. branches, Knights of Columbus branches, American Legion clubs and other organizations. The matter has already been brought to the attention of the colleges, and while nothing definite has been accomplished, it is reported that Maine, Colby, Bates and Bowdoin are in favor of the plan, Colby having already voted to join the prospective association if one other college can be induced to follow suit.

Portland has been discussed as the logical place to hold meets, both from a financial and competitive standpoint, if such an A. A. U. branch is formed. Ryan says regarding his plan: "I have started work to organize a State of Maine Association of the A. A. U. to foster and develop athletics in Maine, with the idea of creating more competition for the schools and colleges and giving the working men and boys an incentive to take up or continue athletic training, which many of them began in school or college or as service men."

Ryan is a former Irish-American A. C. performer, and holds the record for the American Marathon over the Ashland-to-Boston course. He was an army athletic director during the war.

CAMP DIX TO HAVÉ POLO.

Major Abernethy Detailed to Organize Teams Among the Soldiers.

WRIGHTSTOWN, N. J., Dec. 23.—Major Gen. Hale, in command of Camp Dix, has detailed Major Elon A. Abernethy of the 47th Infantry, former star on polo teams throughout the country, to organize polo teams from army material and has instructed him to get the soldiers into the game. General Hale regards polo as one of the best means of developing horsemanship, skill, and daring.

Arrangements have already been completed to lay out the old Lippincott Farm here for a polo field, as it is believed that this place will make one of the finest fields in the country. Forty mounts selected from army stock and full equipment have been ordered.

It was announced that the War Department is greatly interested in the movement and has organized a central polo committee to arrange for meets among army posts throughout the country.

KNIGHTS ENTER FULL TEAM.

Nine Champions Included in Squad Named for Legion Games.

The complete track team of the Knights of St. Antony, including nine champions of national and local prominence, were entered yesterday for the first indoor athletic meet of the 106th Infantry Post, American Legion, to be held at the 23d Regiment Armory, Brooklyn, Jan. 24. The squad of Knights of St. Antony stars entered include Arthur Reilly, Everett Markes, Cornelius Shaughnessy, George Dernell, William F. Kelly, W. F. La Rose, Sylvester T. Johnston, E. Balestier, and Dan Caprio.

This team is expected to figure prominently in the battle for the point trophy which will be awarded to the club whose athletes make the greatest point score for the open events on the program.

PLAN HOME COURSE FOR YALE OARSMEN

University Authorities Complete Survey for Widening and Draining West River.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 23.—Yale oarsmen will have a new rowing course for their home races as soon as plans which have been drawn by the university authorities and by the City of New Haven separately are mutually agreed upon and perfected. West River, which runs alongside the Bowl from the village of Westville to Long Island Sound, a distance of about two miles, will be widened and deepened into a channel sufficiently spacious to allow for the preliminary races of the Eli crews. The channel will be 8,000 feet, about a mile and a third in length. This will afford a racing distance longer than the celebrated Henley course, and it is believed that the Yale oarsmen will adopt the Henley as the distance for their home races as soon as their new course is finished. At present they are holding the races either on New Haven Harbor or on the Housatonic River above the city of Derby, using two courses, one of which is the Henley distance, the other of two miles.

There is no reason why the new West River course should not be the scene of future Yale and Harvard races if the oarsmen of the two universities decide to adopt the Henley distance. This would allow the Yale-Harvard regatta to be held one year in New Haven, the next in Cambridge, provided Harvard adopted the River Charles as its home course. If Yale and Harvard, however, cling to the four-mile distance, they will adhere to New London and the Thames for their regattas, as they have no fault whatever to find with the settings for their annual regatta there.

Two Surveys Completed.

Both Yale University and the City of New Haven have completed surveys for widening West River, the proposed change making it broad and deep enough for races of the Henley distance. The Yale authorities feel that too much time is required for their crews to go to Derby daily to practice, although they regard the Housatonic course as almost ideal for short races. The whole afternoon is required for the practice work of the oarsmen on the Housatonic and nearly an entire afternoon for the practice on New Haven Harbor. On the other hand, if a boathouse is erected on West River, the banks of the new course, the oarsmen can reach their training quarters in ten minutes, and not more than half the afternoon will be required for their entire practice.

If the rowing course is built on West River, the Yale athletic plant will be entirely grouped around the tract of land on which the Bowl is built, the baseball stands are erected, and the track house and field are located. The Yale artillery hall is located adjacent, so that the entire Yale military, athletic and recreational sport program can be carried out on a single tract of territory, only about a mile from the campus. New tennis courts and grounds for other minor sports are being built on the same site. West River, when given the proposed treatment, will supply for Yale what Carnegie Lake does for Princeton.

Although the Yale sketches for the development of its athletics in connection with West River and the adjacent land have not been given expression through financial outlay, every detail has been mapped out and is consistent with Yale's present expansive athletic policy.

The city of New Haven has just completed a similar survey and it was today announced as a part of the permanent war memorial of the municipality. The committee which was appointed by the city, Chamber of Commerce and other civic bodies, including the War Bureau, to decide upon a specific memorial, reported that the form of the memorial should take the erection of a lofty obelisk, with suitable approaches, on the West River meadows, throwing the course of the river into a broad channel about 8,000 feet in length, the northerly end, near the Yale Bowl, a spacious plaza, the obelisk, as viewed from the south, would have the cliffs of West Rock as a background. It would be of light granite, contrasting harmoniously with the reddish hue of West Rock. The general scheme has been prepared by Frederick Law Olmstead of Brooklyne, Mass.

The Committee Reports.

The city plans for the war memorial call for draining the vast West River meadows, which are now an undeveloped mass of salt sea marshes, of introducing some handsome lanscape gardening features, and of constructing a large recreational sport ground which would be a community centre for athletics, as well as an attractive boulevard and promenade. This, the War Memorial Committee believes, will prove the most attractive permanent reminder of the services which were rendered by the hundreds of New Haven boys who fell in the recent world war.

When the committee filed its report, at a meeting in which ex-Governor Simeon E. Baldwin, representing the city, presided, Professor John C. Tracy, representing Yale University, pointed out that similar plans for developing the region in connection with Yale athletics had been outlined by the university, and it was made clear that working out the plans together would form a definite and permanent bond between the city and the university. The committee reported that the construction of the obelisk would cost about $200,000 and that the cost of the entire project would be about $1,500,000. The announcement of the plans has apparently made certain the construction of the new regatta course and its adoption for Yale's future home races, especially the events preliminary to the regatta with Harvard on the Thames.

BILLIARD EXPERTS ON TOUR.

Cue Champions of Three Tourneys Will Travel Eighteen Weeks.

Arrangements are rapidly being completed for the eighteen weeks' tour of the leading cities of this country and Canada by the winners of the three professional national billiard championship tournaments. The first big step in this direction has been completed by the naming of the men who will accompany Willie Hoppe, Bob Cannefax, and Ralph Greenleaf. Willie Hoppe will have Charley Peterson, the veteran balkline billiardist and fancy shot maker of St. Louis, who refereed all of the games in the balkline, three-cushion, and pocket billiard tournaments, as a cue partner for his exhibitions; Cannefax will travel with Charley McCourt, who finished second to him in the titular tournament in Cleveland, and Greenleaf and Jerome Keogh, the Rochester veteran who finished third in the pocket billiard event in Philadelphia, will travel together.

The tour will start on Jan. 15 and will not end until the middle of May. Exhibitions will be played in all the big cities of the United States, and six weeks will be spent in Canada. The bookings are not quite complete, but will be finished in a few days. R. B. Benjamin, who managed the tourneys and will manage the tour, yesterday stated that the trips would be concluded in New York, according to present plans.

CLARK AND ORTIZ TIE IN BILLIARDS

Will Meet for Class B National Amateur Title — Former Wins from Dawson.

CLASS B BILLIARD STANDING.
National Championship.

Player	Won.	Lost.	H.R.	H.A.
A. Ortiz	4	0	47	10.
G. P. B. Clark	4	0	37	6 10-40
J. Dawson	3	2	40	8 2-33
E. R. McGowan	2	3	47	8 18-29
J. Wood	1	4	30	4 21-29
M. Isaacs	0	5	30	5 15-24

When George P. B. Clark defeated J. Dawson, 250 to 171, last night at the Morningside Academy, he advanced to a tie for first place in the Class B 18.2 balkline billiard tournament for the national championship of the American Amateur Billiard Association. Clark and Antonio Ortiz are on even terms in first place, with clean slates, each having won all four of his games. They will meet in the final and deciding game of the tourney next Monday night.

No more fitting climax to this successful event could have been staged had it been a prearranged affair. Clark won the championship last season, and Ortiz formerly was the amateur champion of Spain. They have shown a stellar brand of balkline play in all of their games in this tourney, and for some time the billiard fans who have followed the play have anticipated this meeting. Almost from the outset it was evident that Clark and Ortiz would meet in the contest that would decide the Class B championship.

In recent matches, however, it seemed that J. Dawson might figure in upsetting the dope. Dawson has been going like the proverbial house afire, and it was not without some qualms that Clark entered the lists against him last night. However, Clark made good in the pinch. His stroke was working perfectly and his close playing, supported by his consistent execution, soon settled the issue. Clark took the lead at the outset and held it all the way, finally winning by a decisive margin. Clark made his best average of the tourney, 6 10-40, against 4 11-40 for Dawson. Clark's best runs were 31, 24, and 21. Dawson's were 23, 19, and 18.

COLLEGES IN GYM MEET.

Championship Events Will Be Held in Haverford March 26.

HAVERFORD, Pa., Dec. 23.—The 1920 intercollegiate gymnastic championship meet will be held here Friday, March 26. This will be the first intercollegiate title meet held since 1918, the lapse of a year being due to war conditions. Ten of the big Eastern colleges will send representatives to compete on the Haverford floor, among them being Yale, Princeton, Pennsylvania, Swarthmore, and Rutgers, and the West will be represented by the University of Chicago. The local schedule follows: Jan. 23, Princeton at Princeton; Feb. 20, Yale at New Haven; Feb. 27, Pennsylvania at Haverford; March 26, intercollegiate.

LEVINE IS AGAIN VICTOR.

Wins His Fourth Match in State Three-Cushion Billiard Tourney.

THREE-CUSHION STANDING.
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Player.	W.	L.	P.C.
H. Levine	4	0	1000
W. Flinn	4	1	.800
A. Newman	2	2	.500
R. Naughright	2	2	.500
S. B. Burdett	4	3	.571
A. de Oro, Jr.	2	3	.400
R. J. Mishler	2	3	.400
L. D. Sacks	1	2	.333
L. A. Servatius	1	3	.250
H. L. Turk	1	4	.200

Harry Levine continued his victorious march last night in the three-cushion billiard tournament which is being staged at the National Recreation Academy in Brooklyn for the New York State championship of the National Association of Amateur Billiard Players. He defeated Robert J. Mishler by a score of 30 to 22. Levine has now played four games and won them all. He is the only player in the tournament who has not been defeated at least once.

Four matches were played yesterday afternoon and last night and resulted as follows: In the afternoon, Schuyler B. Burdett defeated Louis A. Servatius, 30 to 24, and William H. Flinn defeated Burdett, 30 to 13; in the evening, Arthur Newman defeated Ray Naughright, 30 to 17, and Harry Levine defeated Robert J. Mishler, 30 to 22.

The Levine match was the feature of the quartet of contests. He has developed into one of the strongest of the amateur three-cushion players in this city. While Mishler had done nothing to lead to the belief that he might succeed in stopping the onward rush of Levine, still he has shown flashes of form that indicate he is the type of player likely to do the unexpected at any time. He managed to give Levine quite an argument before finally succumbing, 30 to 22. The game consumed sixty-six innings, with both players making high runs of 4.

Arthur Newman, who won the national amateur title as well as the State championship last season, had a comparatively easy session with Ray Naughright, and won 30 to 17. Naughright never seriously threatened Newman, who took the lead soon after the start, and steadily increased it through the 58 innings of play. Newman showed some of the best form he has yet displayed in the tournament. In some of his previous games the champion has been off his game, but last night he found himself and played steadily throughout.

Schuyler Burdett engaged in two matches in the afternoon, winning and losing. He started the day's play by taking Louis Servatius into camp in a close game, by 30 to 24. They battled for sixty-six innings, Servatius always managing to hover within hailing distance of victory. In his second game, however, Burdett encountered stern opposition in William Flinn, who represents the Amateur Billiard Club, and was beaten, 30 to 13.

It was not so much a reversal of form on the part of Burdett as it was the excellent playing of Flinn. The winner gathered in his 30 points in forty-six innings, the shortest game of the four, and in so doing displayed some of the best carrom billiards that has been seen in the tourney. Flinn was in stroke, and, when he is "right," he can make the best of them step lively to beat him. He took the lead at the start and held it all the way, winning handily.

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THE NEW HOME RULE PLAN.

Mr. LLOYD GEORGE'S new proposal for Irish Home Rule is as liberal and broad as it could be made. The independence of Ireland is impossible. It is scarcely for Americans, remembering the civil war, to object to the British and North of Ireland passion for the union of Ireland with the United Kingdom. It may be doubted if the majority of the Irish people even outside of the northern counties desire separation. The tenderness of the Sinn Fein leaders for Germany during the war makes millions of Americans cold to the Sinn Fein "republic."

The Lloyd George plan proposes a Legislature for the North and one for the South, the two to become one whenever the people of the two sections agree to it. For purposes common to the whole country an Irish Council, elected by the two Legislatures, is to be established. The two Legislatures would control agriculture, bridges, roads and transportation, education, local government, municipal affairs, insurance, licensing, land; even, after three years, the police. The Imperial Parliament would naturally retain control of essentially imperial affairs, such as peace and war, foreign relations, the army and navy, navigation, trade exterior to Ireland, coinage, and the postal service till there is a single Irish Parliament. It would also retain the appointment of the higher Judges until the two Legislatures could agree upon a plan for those appointments.

There is the trouble. When will the two Legislatures, when will the two sections, when will Irishmen in general agree upon this detail of this plan, upon any plan, upon any polity? It is likely enough that the new Home Rule project will be assailed bitterly by all parties in Ireland for different reasons or unreasons, or for no reasons but old habit, prejudice, or delight in battle. Let us hope, rather than expect, a little salutary cooling off of the perfervidum ingenium.

NOTICE TO RADICAL LEADERS.

Labor leaders, formerly conservative, who have thought it necessary or expedient to yield to the more radical elements in or "boring into" the unions, and all labor leaders who have been making extreme demands and causing or sanctioning strikes for control, will do well to note the strong and apparently unanimous resolve among Republicans against further concessions by the Government and against labor violence or autocracy. Politicians are not remarkable for courage. The general Republican attitude as to these matters rests on the belief, or rather fact, that the majority of the American people, whatever their party, are weary of being exploited by the labor unions when these forget the obligation of citizenship and the principle of equality, and keep seeking special exemptions and privileges.

At the dinner of the New England Society Governor LOWDEN spoke strongly of the duties of "every political division, no matter how small," to govern itself, to maintain order. At the same dinner Governor CORNWELL of West Virginia repeated his statement, made on the day the steel strike began, that "the radical labor leaders of the country were deliberately planning to lessen production in all essential lines of industry." In short, they want "to convince the people of the necessity of nationalizing all industries." They have convinced them of the contrary.

Governor COOLIDGE of Massachusetts made himself, unconsciously, that State's Republican candidate for President by his firmness in the Boston police strike. The American Federation of Labor included in its so-called "bill of rights" the "right" of municipal, State, and national officials to affiliate with labor organizations. Before the Pilgrim Society of Plymouth former Senator BEVERIDGE of Indiana expressed an opinion which millions of "common, ordinary" Americans share:

> Just as yesterday the question was whether financial plunderers should exploit the nation, so today the question is whether labor bandits shall hold up the Republic. At this particular time the crowning domestic issue immediately before America is whether labor unions shall run the American Government or whether the American people shall run the American Government.

We have quoted only Republicans, because the Republicans found much of their hope to return to power upon a resolute opposition to the excessive pretensions of those labor union leaders who are animated by or yielding to radical ideas. Yet this opposition is neither Republican nor Democratic. It is American. It represents the feeling of the majority of the American people, who have been used to sympathizing with "labor," but who now sympathize with themselves. The labor leaders should be wise and greatly moderate their program of extreme demands and control which the radicals are trying to force them to adopt.

ANONYMOUS NEW YORK.

The "Tree of Ligh." will be illuminated this evening in Madison Square, and the New York Community Chorus of 200 voices will lead a "sing" about it. Throughout the week this civic Christmas tree will bespeak our greeting to the stranger within our gates, and on New Year's Eve a negro chorus, aided by HARRY BARNHART'S band, will hold an entertainment during the last hour of 1919. In only one respect will the familiar ceremony be altered. This year the star that surmounts the tree will be not white but gold, in honor of our men who died in the war. It is a beautiful and a touching ceremony, and not least so in the fact that the committee who conduct it persist in withholding their names.

More than any of her sisters, New York is anonymous. Strangers sometimes complain that she is cold and forbidding. As far as the complaint is justified, it is doubtless to be explained by the fact that we are all strangers—for, as BRANDER MATTHEWS long ago remarked, no real New Yorker is ever born here. A Californian once described a New York "welcome" as consisting in two remarks: "Mighty glad to see you!" and "When are you coming again?" Yet the spirit that presides over this public Christmas tree is deep and real; and for some strange reason it seems more prevalent here than in most places.

More than any other of our cities, New York has the genius of civic spectacle and pageant. Those who went on tour with Marshal JOFFRE and Cardinal MERCIER know where their welcome was most picturesque, their greeting most multitudinous and spontaneous. Throughout the land did any war drive develop a sight half as appealing in its beauty as Fifth Avenue transformed into "The Avenue of the Allies"? Our naval pageants, it is true, would be impossible without the majestic waterways with which nature has endowed us; yet it is no vain fancy that sees in them more than a touch of the genius of Manhattan. So it has been always, back to the Hudson-Fulton celebration of a decade ago, and beyond it as far as any one now alive remembers.

Personally New Yorkers may be cold—or they may be only busy. But the anonymous soul of the city is expressive and bright. It feels very deeply whatever the great tree may say to strangers—or the golden star to the spirits of those others who once lived in our city and loved its pageants as we do.

ADMIRAL SIMS'S PROTEST.

The Distinguished Service Medal is supposed to be awarded for specially meritorious service in a position of great responsibility. Admiral WILLIAM S. SIMS, who commanded the United States naval forces in Europe, recommended nineteen of his officers for the distinction, with the result that the award was made to only six of them, the others receiving the Navy Cross, which is given for extraordinary heroism or other distinguished service. In a letter to the Secretary of the Navy Admiral SIMS says that "the awards as issued to officers in a number of instances are not in accord with the relative merit of the services performed by them as indicated by my recommendations." He observes that "there can necessarily be no better judge of the relative merits of the services of a number of officers than the responsible commanding officer of the organization in which they are serving." The Admiral submits:

> It must always be impossible for a board (the Board of Awards in this case), or any other outside authority, so to modify the estimate of relative merit of the services of officers in an organization as made by their immediate and active superior in command, without inflicting actual injustice, and this necessarily defeats the whole object of instituting a system of awards for merit in time of war.

In his letter to Secretary DANIELS Admiral SIMS complains that not only were his recommendations disregarded in thirteen out of nineteen cases, but "a number of officers in the command, whose services were relatively of less importance, and much less in responsibility, were accorded the highest award." One of the officers who was passed over and who received the consolation prize of the Navy Cross was the Chief of Staff of Admiral SIMS, an officer of unusual ability, who drew up the convoy plan and "the most important tactical and strategical measures governing the operations of our forces in Europe." Digressing from the failure to honor many of the recommendations of his staff officers, Admiral SIMS takes exception to the award of the Distinguished Service Medal to "officers who were defeated in action [by enemy submarines], or whose ships were sunk or seriously damaged by enemy submarines." The Admiral declares that such awards are condemned and ridiculed by the service, and that the effect of the untraditional policy must be damaging to morale. From this conclusion there will be no dissent. Admiral SIMS has declined to accept a Distinguished Service Medal "under the conditions now existing," by which qualification he means the failure of the Navy Department to honor his recommendations of responsible and efficient staff officers.

If favoritism or bad judgment has been shown in distributing Distinguished Service Medals, the facts should be disclosed when Secretary DANIELS publishes his promised list of recommendations by commanding officers, the action of the Board of Awards upon recommendations, and the action of the Navy Department, that is to say Secretary DANIELS. The Secretary admits that he has not always been guided by the recommendations of the Board of Awards, because he had later information in regard to "distinguished service." It may be that the Secretary was too generous with the medals at his disposal, for he acknowledges that he made it a rule that the decoration should be given to officers of all ships torpedoed. The navy would certainly not approve of such a measure of "distinguished service"; obviously it offended against tradition and disregarded precedent.

There seems to be no doubt that Secretary DANIELS was not impressed by Admiral SIMS'S list, for he, the Secretary, in a somewhat flippant spirit, observes that it is the habit of Admirals to recommend the members of their staff for honors, who are all "fine gentlemen"; whereas he as Secretary of the Navy desired to recognize the men who had done the actual fighting. That should be done, of course, but Admiral SIMS is right when he says that officers of high rank who direct operations to insure the success of the fleet should be fittingly rewarded. Perhaps Secretary DANIELS has made some mistakes in overruling the Board of Awards and making his own selections for the decoration, and as he intimates that he is willing to be convinced an unfortunate controversy may be avoided.

MID-EUROPEAN CREDITS.

Mr. JOHN F. SMULSKI, President of the National Polish Committee of America, has appealed to this country for a Government loan to Poland, Czechoslovakia, and the Baltic States—to peoples who have won their freedom, but cannot get their economic life re-established without credits. We helped them win their freedom in 1918, partly because of sympathy with the struggle for liberty, partly because their freedom was advantageous to the cause of a world attacked by Germany. In the accomplishment we served them and served ourselves, and won gratitude that is not to be underestimated in these times, when good feeling between peoples is something of a rarity. The question now is one of preserving what has been won. In all these countries trustworthy Governments, supported by the people and upright in their international dealings, have been established; but these Governments cannot last forever if the present economic paralysis continues, and if they fall Germany has a free field in Eastern Europe.

They will not fall if America gives them credit. Most urgent is the need of the Poles and the Czechoslovaks, for their welfare largely depends on manufactures which cannot be started on any important scale without credits to cover the early purchases of raw material. But at present they are a good risk, from a purely commercial viewpoint; and they will always be a good risk if they are aided now. Those two countries at least ought to be well on their feet in a year or two if they get aid in starting. They will be grateful for that aid; what ought to be equally evident to Americans is that such help given now will preserve fruits of victory that might otherwise be in grave danger, and equally preserve commercial fields from which American trade can draw rich profits in coming years.

The urgent need is plain to everybody who knows the facts. More credit is needed than most private agencies can supply, and some of those who could do something to meet the need see the hazards of the situation so plainly that they fail to see that credits to set the idle factories going would remove those hazards. Professor PUPIN recently suggested that bonds of the new Governments could be sold to the millions of prosperous workingmen and business men in this country who come from the countries recently freed, who worked hard and spent their money freely to help the national struggles for freedom, and who would be equally willing to help the home lands now. Many of them, indeed, have already done so; Czech and Polish business men in this country have done a good deal to start up the business connections already established; and more could still be done.

But there are objections to private credits, objections from both sides. There are objections to Government credits, too; but it would be an excellent investment, one whose political and economic benefits would very soon be apparent. The Polish and Czechoslovak nations have a great industrial future; they will be great producers and good customers. On the Baltic, credits of some kind are an essential part of the war of defense against the Bolsheviki, but it is not a purely political question by any means; the Baltic nations will be a good investment, too, if our policy is competently directed. The Poles and Czechs are our friends already because of what we did to help them in the war, although we did not begin to do it till very late. There is no reason for being as much behind time with economic assistance, and the danger in delay is even greater. The extension of credit to a business man whose principal asset is integrity is not unknown; and in these two cases, particularly, known national integrity and known commercial ability are supported by great resources. Failure to extend the credit which would make the use of those resources possible would be a mistake whose effects would be felt soon in Central Europe; felt more slowly, but in the long-run very heavily, here.

A LEGAL TENDER NOVELTY.

Among the last bills passed by both houses was one making gold certificates legal tender. Gold certificates are exchangeable for gold dollars on demand, being issued only against deposits of coin or bullion in trust for the bearers of certificates. Accordingly, most think them as good as gold, and some better than gold, being more easily stored, counted, and used in trade or banking. Therefore, those skilled in the use of money pay them out less readily than other sorts of dollars—particularly banks, which hoard the $10,000 certificates. Hence, it will come as a surprise that it is necessary to make them legal tender, since there is a specific deposit of metal behind them. The monetary reason for making them legal tender is worth mentioning in these days of strange moneys. Nothing is lawful money but dollars, with the exception of the paper issued under the war power of the United States in the 60's and still outstanding in large volume. The Supreme Court had to try three times before it could make up its mind about the constitutional power of Congress to make dollars out of paper. For all lawful purposes greenbacks are dollars, not merely as good as dollars. Gold certificates are only promises to pay dollars, and not truly dollars, nor capable of being declared dollars. Even as recently as our last currency panic, lawyers stood on their right to reject the tender of gold certificates on contracts for considerable amounts. It is not gold certificates of those denominations which are to be declared legal tender. Those of $10,000 and higher will not be made legal tender, and they will still be available for the use of those who consider them more convenient than gold, and just as good without the legal tender quality as with it.

The need for making gold certificates legal tender comes from the other end of the money scale. There is a famine of small money because 425,544,000 silver dollars have been exported on foreign demand, mostly from Asia. The dollars had circulated in the form of silver certificates, which had been issued in exchange for the bullion dollars, and consequently there is a famine of dollars for change. The difficulty is not that one sort of dollar is better or worse than another, but that there is an actual scarcity of dollars of any sort in the small denominations, and it is necessary to find a way of splitting the large notes into smaller notes. The total of notes for $1 and $2 is only a little more than the silver dollars exported. That is to say, we have lost half of that sort of money, to the Treasury's considerable profit, for the dollars cost less than they were sold for, but to the inconvenience of the holiday trade and all trade of the retail sort. The Treasury has a considerable supply of such dollars, but is limited by law to exchanging them for larger denominations, or for notes unfit to circulate. The case calls for a supply of large notes exchangeable into small notes, and there are $424,439,782 of gold certificates in circulation between $5 and $5,000. After the legal tender quality is bestowed upon them the banks could hoard them and release other legal tenders to the Treasury in exchange for the $1 and $2 notes, which thus would pass into circulation. Also the new legal tenders in gold would satisfy the wants of those meticulous persons who now refuse them because they are not dollars, but only promises to pay dollars.

It would seem as though the legal tenders held by the banks would pass to the people, and the banks would get the gold certificates now in circulation. That would make little difference, but for the better. Gold is more useful in banks than in pockets or tills, and our policy of making all our too many sorts of dollars interchangeable has been declared in statutory form. When we were a debtor nation our foreign friends jingled their coin in their pockets. Now we are a creditor nation, and we still prefer paper money, which foreign countries have been forced to use, and which they may adhere to when once they get the habit. We were the most advanced nation also in the use of checks, and they have come into use abroad since the war on an increasing scale. It will help with the confused foreign money situation to bear in mind that the same distinction between gold and paper money applies abroad as well as here. The sovereign which has lost $1 in its purchasing power is not the coin, but the Bradbury, or British greenback, fiat money without a reserve. And so with francs and marks. When they are coins they have not lost in exchange value except for the rise in prices. To find what they have lost it is necessary to compare the rise in prices with the fall in exchange, bearing in mind that difficulties are put in the way of the free movement of the metal coin. The gold standard is neither disestablished nor endangered, for there is nothing to take its place. Silver cannot be coupled with gold. Its rise in price is so excessive and erratic, and for such reasons, that it puts the metal in the commodity class. There are defects in the gold standard, but they hardly will be removed by the proposal of a professor in Wisconsin during the debate in Congress that the amount of gold in the dollar should be changed monthly to keep the purchasing power steady, and that wage payers should alter wages each six months in the same way.

OUR OWN DUTY.

As usual, the appeal for the Hundred Neediest Cases on the rolls of New York charity organizations is bringing many responses from out of town, as well as from the transient population of the hotels. This is to be expected, for the simple recital of the need of these most needy of New York's poor is enough to stimulate the generosity of those who are in better circumstances. And yet the total contributed, so far, is not as great as it should be. A contribution equal to that of last year is to be expected, but the cost of the necessaries of life is at such a point that the amount needed to relieve any given case is apt to be higher. A dollar is only a half dollar now, in charity as in everything else.

New York's reputation for liberality is established by a long and honorable record of response to need the world over. In this Christmas season New York is still giving, and giving liberally, to relieve suffering in Europe; a work in which there is no danger of doing too much. But New York can respond to calls from abroad without slackening in the relief of needs at home. It is our own work, here at our own doors; and the families which are set on their feet, the boys and girls who are enabled to make a fair start in life, as the result of this work, are going to be useful assets to the life of New York in years to come. We welcome and appreciate the response that has come from friends outside the city who are eager to relieve want, but New Yorkers should not allow their own interest in aiding the suffering the world over to distract them from the need of those at home. Every dollar contributed to the rehabilitation of those who are now the Hundred Neediest Cases means a hundred dollars contributed to the permanent well-being of the city.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

A Revival Highly Regrettable.

From several of the big stores come reports, possibly containing something of exaggeration, but evidently in large measure true, of an unprecedented demand for and sale of what used to be called the planchette and now goes under the name of the ouija board. As explanation of this reawakened demand for an old device for obtaining "messages" of seemingly mysterious origin it is stated that the purchasers expect or hope by means of these machines to get into communication with the dead—most often with soldiers who were killed in France.

If that is the case, the condition of mind thus revealed is at once pathetic and disquieting—pathetic because of the sorrows of bereavement still unassuaged that it manifests, and disquieting because it indicates, as a result of the war, a widespread mental state promising little for the future.

And this turning for consolation to a source whence it cannot come except as a wild and absurd illusion does not stand alone, unfortunately, as a "sign of the times." Other reports are to the effect that fortune tellers, trance mediums, and other pretended exponents of mysticism and the supernatural or supernormal never had so many clients as now, and that all of them who are even moderately expert in the sorry craft of their tribe are making small fortunes out of the credulity of their dupes.

To whatever extent these tales are well founded they indicate that a like part of the American public is suffering from what in soldiers long subjected to the strains of war was called "shell shock," and, what is worse, that these sufferers in their ignorance are seeking relief in ways the only effect of which will be further and worse forms of mental and nervous disequilibration.

A Source Close at Hand.

As for the ouija boards, to recur to the simplest of the various imagined avenues to the Beyond, there is nothing really mystical in their operation and no excuse for doubt as to the quality or provenience of the "messages" they convey. Always there is the chance that these communications are the products of deliberate and conscious deception. In not a few instances, however, they are really what the psychologists call "automatic writing"—a poor name, but for those who understand it signifying merely writing done in a condition more or less trancelike and dictated by the subconscious.

Investigations comparatively recent have made both writing and speaking of this "automatic" kind at least as well understood as are the more familiar mental processes that pass as "natural." It is certain, and anybody who reads modern books on the subject can convince himself of it—if open to evidence—that both automatic writing and automatic speaking originate entirely in the writer or speaker, and this is equally so whether the writing or speaking is honest or fraudulent. That the dead have anything to do with either is a belief founded wholly in the desire and the determination to believe.

To psychologists worthy of the name, the ouija board has considerable value as a means of studying pathological states of mind, but for the uninstructed it is or may be a cruel and dangerous deluder. It is the duty of all who know the facts as to ouija boards to make them known to others, and to denounce the misuse of the thing as a crime against intelligence.

Shopkeepers Will All Be Interested.

An artificial light in which all colors would have their true value—the value, that is, which they have in sunlight—has long been sought, but hitherto has not been found, though several of the illuminants already in use come not far from being what is wanted. Now, according to a London dispatch, there is on exhibition in the American Chamber of Commerce there a light that is better than any other except daylight and reveals all colors as what they are to a degree never before attained.

But the explanation of the new device is puzzling, for, as described, it consists essentially of an electric bulb whence light rays pass to a screen bearing various colors and thence are reflected. The implication of this is, or seems to be, that a colored screen can give to light falling on it the colors it bears. Of course it could do no such thing in the sense of adding to light a color it did not already possess. The glass of a red lantern does not make red light; it merely absorbs the rays of other colors and lets only the red ones pass through. The service of the variegated screen must be the subtraction of undesired rays; it cannot add the desired ones.

They Made Grocers Cut Prices.

Out in Lincoln, Neb.—who was it that put Lincoln on the map?—the problem of high living cost has been attacked in the one way that assures victory, and it has been solved there, at least for the moment, and with respect to eggs. And to bring down the price of eggs, and especially the price of fresh eggs, is no small achievement these days.

The women of Lincoln did it by refusing to buy any eggs at all until they were offered at what they thought a reasonable price. After a few days of this rather desperate but entirely legal form of boycott the grocers, much protesting and moaning much, lowered the price of eggs, including that of fresh eggs.

Now the women of the city say that they are going to extend the boycott method to other articles of food, one after another. New triumphs are inevitable. The plan, however, has one terrible, possibly fatal, weakness. It cannot be worked against all foods at once—not for long, at any rate. And it is just possible that the grocers of Lincoln have made up on other things what they lost—if they lost anything—on eggs.

Anglo-American Friendships.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

A short time ago a writer in an English paper gave this small sum: U. S.+U. K.= O. K., thereby proving that she was more than a mere student of algebra. The war has been the means of starting a warm friendship between our two countries and now it's up to us to make it "O. K." for all time.

Before the war made it impossible, it was quite a usual thing for the scholars of an English school to correspond with the scholars of a similar school in France, each writing in the other's language, and I speak from experience when I say that it was not only very instructive but very interesting as well. Why should not the schools of America and England adopt the same plan? True, the same language is spoken—I presume the wonderfully fascinating American slang, which is so delightfully expressive, is not included in the education syllabus—but such a correspondence would give the children of both nations a far better knowledge of each other's intimate little ways and customs than they could ever learn from books.

Here in England we are stanch admirers of America and of everything American (except perhaps its "dryness"). Perhaps we did not show our appreciation very openly when the troops were here, and perhaps we disappointed them a little, but the appreciation was there; it's not our nature to make a song about our feelings. For about ten months during the war I came into daily contact with three air service squadrons of breezy boys from the West, and I found they all made very good chums, even the "Hard-boiled" ones. I am learning more and more of America from the letters of an American girl, whom I have never seen but with whom I have corresponded for some time. She is teaching school now and I am able to send her books and illustrations of all the things in which she is most interested, and we compare notes generally.

"MISS JOHN BULL."

Stamford, England, Dec. 10, 1919.

Serbians Not to Change State Name.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In a special dispatch to THE NEW YORK TIMES, dated Washington, Dec. 20, and published in yesterday's issue of your paper, it is intimated that "the Serbians are desirous of changing the name of their State, which officially is the 'Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes,' to 'Greater Serbia.'"

I beg to inform you that there is no foundation whatever for such a statement.

S. Y. GROUITCH.

Minister of the Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes.

Washington, Dec. 22, 1919.

LEAST OF THESE.

God save you all, and give you grace,
That live within this dwelling place;
May you not lack for meat or wine,
Or fire-light, or candle-shine,
Or aught that you may most desire.

But as you stir your Christmas fire
Think upon us whose fires are dead,
Whose cup is dry, who have no bread,
Think upon us whose hearths are cold,
Whose eyes are dim, whose hearts are old.

We are the aged and the poor;
We have no choice but to endure,
We are the children to whose eyes
No gift will bring a rapt surprise.
We are the weak, the halt, the blind;
We are the suffering of mankind.

God rest you all, and give you grace,
That dwell within this happy place.
Your house is warm with candle light. . . .
Ah, leave your latchstring out tonight!

EDITH BALLINGER PRICE.

PLANS AIR RACE TO ALASKA.

Event to be Held by American Flying Club Early in Year.

An airplane race from New York to Alaska will be held early next year, under the direction of the American Flying Club, Lawrence La Tourette Driggs, President of the club, announced before the Aeronautical Society of America, meeting in the Engineering Societies Building, 29 West Thirty-ninth Street, last night. He said the club also planned a race across the Southern border of the United States.

Mr. Driggs urged airmen to adhere to rules of safety and to give up "stunt" flying. He predicted extensive use of the plane in the coming year, and said the time was not far distant when flyers would "take off" and land in their back yards.

Augustus Post, Secretary of the Aero Club of America, who went to study recent developments in aeronautics in England, France and Italy several weeks ago, returned yesterday on the France. He said all the countries he visited were mapping out commercial air routes, and aeronautical engineers were developing new types of planes for commercial, freight and passenger uses. He said he saw a number of planes capable of carrying from eighteen to twenty passengers, and the Caproni factory in Milan was turning out a plane which would carry 100 passengers.

PLEADS FOR SICK SOLDIERS.

Legion Opposes Return of Hospital Cases to Civil Life.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 23.—A letter to the Legislative Committee of the American Legion in Washington, urging efforts to have modified the recent order of the War Department for the release to civil life of service men who had been under treatment in hospitals for more than twelve months, was mailed from national headquarters of the organization here today.

"Officers and enlisted men confined in hospitals receive full pay," says the letter. "When returned to civil life tubercular and other incurables will receive but $6 to $30 a month. We want such action by the War Department postponed until provision will have been made for these men by Congressional legislation. The War Department order would throw on public charity the responsibility of caring for a large number of these sick. It is not so much for the care of those confined by temporary illness that concerns us as to the future of the thousands of incurables who would be returned to civil life with inadequate means of support and inability to earn a livelihood for themselves."

BORE FOR OIL IN MARYLAND.

New York Capitalists Acquire Lands Near Havre de Grace.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 23.—New York capitalists have bought or leased large tracts of land near Havre de Grace, at the mouth of the Susquehanna River, on which they will bore for oil.

They have been encouraged by signs which indicate the presence of oil at no great depth. On the surface of the Susquehanna, on streams tributary to that river on the Hartford County side, and in water pumped from wells crude oil has been found. The promoters of the enterprise are further encouraged by geological evidence that the rocks which underlie Havre de Grace and its vicinity are extensions of the strata in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, from which there has been a small flow of oil. Operations are being carried on to reach deposits believed to exist.

Some of the property owners near Havre de Grace are so optimistic over the prospects of the discovery of oil and its successful pumping that they have leased their properties on a royalty basis. More than 600 acres have been purchased or leased.

WARN AGAINST GOLD RUSH.

Reports from New Alaskan Field Say It Is Not a Second Klondike.

KETCHIKAN, Alaska, Dec. 23.—Thousands of persons in the United States, Canada, and England, have sent here reports regarding a supposed fabulous gold strike just across the Canadian line south of here, near Hyder, a town on the American side of the international boundary.

Reports from Hyder rather discourage the coming of men who have no adequate financial backing. Prospectors described the place as "not a poor man's camp," and "not a second Klondike." Discoveries of ore were not made in creeks or on the surface, as in the Klondike, but were the result of steady development work on claims staked years ago.

According to latest reports, the Yukon Gold Company owned by the Guggenheim family, which has figured in Alaska and Yukon mining history since the stampede days of 1898, has gained control of the mine where the principal strike was made.

HONOR HENRY F. OSBORN.

Columbia Professor Receives Cullum Medal from Geographical Society.

The gold medal of the American Geographical Society, given only to explorers and scientists for unusual achievements, was awarded to Henry Fairfield Osborn, President of the American Museum of Natural History, in the Engineering Societies Building, last evening. The presentation, it was stated, was in recognition of Professor Osborn's contributions to science in the field of anthropo-geography.

Professor Osborn is the author of treatises on the Stone Age, and is also Professor of Paleontology in Columbia University. The award, an official of the Geographical Society said last night, indicates a growing recognition by geographers of the value of allied branches of scientific research.

The decoration conferred last evening is known as the Cullum medal, having been inaugurated by General Cullum some thirty years ago. Many noted explorers have received it, Stefansson being the last explorer thus honored.

FAST RECLAIMING ALSACE.

French Also Making Rapid Progress in Restoring Lorraine.

STRASBOURG, Dec. 23.—Rapid progress is being made in the reconstruction of devastated areas in Alsace and Lorraine. Seventy million francs already have been expended on this work and 75,000,000 more advanced to the homeless.

In Alsace three-fifths of the land fit for cultivation has been made usable and in Lorraine reclamation of the tableland and meadows has been completed. Building construction also is proceeding rapidly and villages and small towns, entirely cleared of rubbish, have resumed their normal aspect.

CANADA STOPS NEWSPRINT.

Controller Prevents Shipment Until Needs There Are Met.

OTTAWA, Dec. 23.—Seven carloads of newsprint paper, consigned to American publishers from the mills of the Fort Frances Pulp and Paper Company, were stopped in transit this morning by order of Robert A. Pringle, paper controller.

Mr. Pringle explained that all export shipments from the company would be stopped until it had complied with his orders to furnish paper to Western Canada publishers, who, he had been told, would be forced to suspend publication unless a supply were forthcoming before the end of the week.

CRAIG FACES ARREST IN CONTEMPT CASE

Judge Mayer Will Issue a Rule If Controller Fails to Appear Next Monday.

PLEA OF PRIVILEGE FAILS

Court Holds Controller's Letter Was Official, Not Personal—Appeal to Supreme Court.

Controller Charles L. Craig must appear in the Federal Court on Dec. 29 to answer an information charging him with contempt of court or a warrant for his arrest will be issued by the court, according to a ruling made yesterday by Federal Judge Julius M. Mayer.

Judge Mayer held that he had jurisdiction in the contempt proceedings he caused to be instituted against the Controller after the publication of a letter on Oct. 9 in which Mr. Craig criticised the court for its handling of the traction cases.

Judge Mayer held that the Controller's comment, in so far as it involved the publication in the newspapers of Mr. Craig's letter to Public Service Commissioner Lewis Nixon, was in no sense official and was therefore not privileged. The Controller was ordered to appear next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Controller Craig did not appear in court when the original order to show cause why he should not be punished in contempt of court was made returnable. His special counsel, Edmund L. Mooney, argued that the court was without jurisdiction in the case and that his client was privileged, as he acted in an official capacity in writing the letter to the Public Service Commissioner. He maintained that by appearing in person the Controller would waive the question of jurisdiction. The opinion of Judge Mayer yesterday quashed these contentions.

In part Judge Mayer's opinion stated:

"That it is plain from the information that the act complained of in so far as it involved the causing of the publication of the letter in various newspapers was not an act protected by privilege, which defendant claims, and was in no sense official.

"It is apparently, however, the settled procedure that the issue as to privilege cannot be raised by an objection to jurisdiction of the person. The question raised by counsel for the defendant as well as other questions referred to upon the oral argument may be appropriately considered by demurrer, plea or such other method as defendant may be advised when in orderly course the defendant shall have submitted to the jurisdiction of the court.

"If the defendant entertains the view that the challenge to the jurisdiction may be waived by such appearance, then the court will grant the motion of the United States District Attorney for the issuance of an attachment of the body of the defendant."

Edmund L. Mooney, special counsel, with Corporation Counsel Burr, for Controller Craig, said:

"If, in the opinion of counsel, upon careful reflection, the legal point that the communication of the Controller was privileged as an official act can be urged throughout the proceeding in such a way as to fully protect his rights, he will appear before the court in conformity to its direction, but if by his appearance he would forego his plea of privilege the attachment against his person will have to issue. The Controller has always desired that the matter be disposed of on its merits, but as the most important part of the merits is his plea that there is as distinct a privilege within his official sphere as the court exercises within its own sphere, he cannot forego the assertion of that privilege as often during the proceedings as is necessary, however unpleasant the consequences may be to him personally.

"If, in the assertion of what he conceives to be the independent exercise of his duties as a public servant, an attachment issues against him he will not shrink from arrest. The official privilege which he asserts has frequently been recognized by the courts, but this is the first time that it has been asserted at the outset of the proceedings, and it is of the utmost importance not only to him but to all public officials that it shall not be waived."

While definite steps to be taken by Controller Craig were not made public, it was said in some quarters that should a warrant be issued calling for the Controller's arrest a writ of habeas corpus would be obtained and the case would be taken direct to the Supreme Court in order to have the question of jurisdiction determined.

CALLS QUINN IN CONTEMPT.

Hirshfield Says He Will Ask Court to Punish Alderman.

Commissioner of Accounts David Hirshfield announced yesterday that he would petition the Supreme Court to have Alderman William F. Quinn punished for contempt of court because of his repeated refusal to be sworn in regard to testimony on conditions in the Department of Markets.

For the second time following the Alderman's attacks on Mayor Hylan for his appointments in the department, Mr. Hirshfield summoned the Alderman before him. The Alderman refused again to be sworn, and, according to the Commissioner, was insolent. After Mr. Quinn had left, Mr. Hirshfield wrote to the Corporation Counsel, requesting that legal steps be taken to punish him.

Mr. Quinn said he refused to be sworn, first, because the Commissioner had no jurisdiction over him; second, that the examination was not a bona-fide investigation into the Department of Markets; third, that the Commissioner's proceeding conflicts with one the Alderman is trying to have started under aldermanic supervision, and fourth, that any testimony he had was privileged.

The Commissioner of Markets, Edwin J. O'Malley, yesterday held up the sale of navy foodstuffs being conducted by the Rev. Jonathan C. Day, ex Commissioner, at the Queensborough Market and the Jefferson Market. He said Dr. Day had not settled some of his accounts for sales of food conducted while he was Commissioner. Dr. Day went at once to Mr. O'Malley and gave to him his check for $48,283.70, representing a balance of receipts from navy sales deposited in a bank in the Washington Heights section.

The whole amount was for something over $50,000, but Dr. Day said he was withholding $1,730 for lawyer's fees and his own expenses. Mr. O'Malley asked for an itemized expense account, and when Dr. Day failed to comply, demanded that he turn in all the money.

Dr. Day said he would reopen the two public stations today if the Markets Commissioner would permit. The sales at other stations throughout the city were not interrupted.

HIRSHFIELD ATTACKS NIXON.

Denounces "Traction Crowd" Also —Says Strikes Are "Staged."

Commissioner of Accounts Hirshfield yesterday sent a letter to Peter J. Brady, secretary of the Mayor's Non-Partisan Vigilance Committee, in which he attacked Public Service Commissioner Lewis Nixon and the traction companies who want an increased fare.

"So desperate has this traction crowd become of late," wrote Mr. Hirshfield, "that it not only stages strikes on its lines, but is ready through its representatives and other agencies to impeach and, if possible, jail public officials who insist upon performing their duty to the people honestly and in accordance with their oath of office."

MAETERLINCK HERE WITH HIS GIRL WIFE

Belgian Poet Arrives for a Lecture Tour and to Attend Premiere of "The Blue Bird."

WELCOMED WITH CHEERS

Disappointed Because Fog Hid Liberty Statue—Thinks New York Buildings Too High.

BELGIUM IS RECOVERING

Author and His Wife to be Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., at Ball.

Maurice Maeterlinck, the Belgian poet and author of "The Blue Bird," which is to have its world's premier in musical form at the Metropolitan Opera House on Saturday night, arrived yesterday evening on the French liner France accompanied by his 19-year-old wife.

The contrast between the two was striking. The author of "The Blue Bird" is nearly 6 feet in height, built like an athlete; he was a first-rate boxer years ago. In his conversation he appears to be dreaming in the clouds. As a friend on board said: "Il n'est pas sur le terre," which in English means that he is off the earth.

His wife, who wore a brown dress with sable coat and small hat to match, is slim and is barely five feet. She had nothing to say to reporters concerning either poetry or immortality of the soul. Mme. Maeterlinck appeared to be very much on earth.

Fog Prevents Airplane Escort.

It had been intended to have a squadron of Bluebird airplanes go out as far as Sandy Hook to meet the France and circle over the liner as she steamed up to Quarantine, but this was given up on account of the fog which hung over the harbor all day. Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and Mrs. Newbold Le Roy Edgar were to have been passengers with the airplane escort to greet the Belgian poet. Henry Russell, the former manager of the Boston Opera Company, and now connected with "The Blue Bird" opera, went down to Quarantine on the United States Coast Guard cutter to greet him.

When Maeterlinck appeared at the rail of the France in response to calls from Mr. Russell the crowd on the cutter gave him three cheers. Mr. Russell began to whistle a tune and kept it up until his melody was interrupted by the foghorns of the passing steamers. Those who heard it imagined that it was the principal aria from the new opera, but M. Maeterlinck said afterward that he did not know the air and had not heard a single bar from the opera of "The Blue Bird."

On the way up to the French Line pier the Belgian poet posed for the photographers, towering a head and shoulders above his wife, and tried to answer the dozens of questions that were fired at him in quick succession by the reporters on the deck of the France.

Couldn't See Statue of Liberty.

In the midst of the interview he tried to see the Statue of Liberty, but could barely distinguish its form on account of the fog, which he said was disappointing, because he had heard and read about it for so many years.

When asked for his impressions of the giant buildings on Manhattan Island the poet said: "They are fantastic, like the strange things one sees in a dream—and are too tall. I should think these tall buildings of New York must be disturbing to the minds of the people as they are to mine."

Asked if this was his first visit to America, he replied: "Yes. I always had a fear for the voyage across the Atlantic to New York, but that has passed. I was not seasick, although the weather was rough at times, and I regard the trip as a promenade. It is nothing to come from France to New York."

When asked about the reports circulated from Paris before the war in 1914 that the Belgian poet was coming to New York in disguise and would defy the reporters to detect him when he landed Maeterlinck laughed and said: "I never intended to come to America before this time because I did not speak English and had never lectured or spoken in public anywhere. That was changed by the war. My Government asked me to give addresses in Brussels, Paris and other cities. It was propaganda for the good of my country, and I did it. I have been studying English for six weeks before sailing, and also on the France, and have come here to spend three months touring the United States and giving lectures on 'The Beginnings of New Signs of the Immortality of the Soul,' and the continuance of my studies on 'The Personality of the Soul.' A so I shall take pleasure in assisting at the premiere of 'The Blue Bird' at the Metropolitan on Saturday night."

His Mind Open as to Ghosts.

Asked about Sir Oliver Lodge's theory concerning ghosts, Maeterlinck said he was not a spiritualist.

"I do not mean to say," he continued, "that I do not believe in ghosts or that I do believe in them. For the present I am leaving spiritualism on one side, to be taken up later."

During his talk with the reporters the Belgian poet used English, but at times he showed a preference for French, and then spoke through an interpreter. He carries an unusually large fountain pen for signing autographs, but does not write his manuscripts with it. He said that he wrote everything first in lead pencil and then used a typewriter so that others could read it.

"I am in the hands of my friends, like a piece of baggage," he said, "and do not know where I shall sleep tonight."

Henry Russell and other friends surged round him on the pier, while a number of enthusiastic Belgians outside the barrier cheered him frantically whenever they could catch glimpses of his commanding figure.

The poet has bushy gray hair, with grayish blue eyes and a round, massive jaw, with ruddy complexion, as if he had lived and gloried in a country life in Flanders. In the buttonhole of his gray longcoat he wore the red ribbon of the Legion of Honor.

Says Belgium Is Recovering.

Unlike many distinguished foreigners who have arrived in America since August, 1914, Maeterlinck is not collecting for any particular fund and he did not say that his countrymen, the Belgians, were starving. On the contrary, he said, when he left Belgium five weeks ago the working people were going back to their factories, business which had been lost in the war was being rapidly regained, and he expected to see a big rise in the exchange rate of the Belgian franc before he went home.

On Saturday night Maeterlinck and his wife will be the guests at dinner of Mr. and Mrs. Otto H. Kahn before going to the Metropolitan Opera House to witness the premiere of "The Blue Bird." It is probable that he will also attend the dress rehearsal of the opera on Friday morning. The poet drove from the pier with his wife to the home of A. A. Anderson at Fortieth Street and Sixth Avenue, with whom he will stay while he is in New York. His agent said that Maeterlinck was too temperamental to stay in a hotel.

On Friday night the poet and his wife will go to the Blue Bird ball at the Waldorf-Astoria as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr.

The poet was born in Ghent on Aug. 29, 1862, and his full name is Maurice Polydore Marie Bernard Maeterlinck, which is derived from the Flemish word "Maet," meaning "measure." One of his ancestors was Burgomaster of Ghent during a famine and had to measure out corn to the people—hence "Maeterlinck," measurer.

WOULD BAR SHYLOCK.

Newark School Board Urged to Omit "Merchant of Venice" from Study.

"The Merchant of Venice" is to be removed from the curriculum of the Newark public schools, if a recommendation of the Instruction Committee of the Board of Education is accepted. In this recommendation the committee approves the request of the Anti-Defamation League of Chicago that the play be taken out of the course of study because of its effect on the minds of non-Jewish children. In its letter to the Board of Education the League said:

"We do not make our request because of the embarrassment which may be caused to Jewish students in the class, nor is our attitude based upon thin-skinned sensitiveness. It is the result of mature consideration and investigation. Our objection is made because of its effect upon the non-Jewish children who subconsciously will associate in their own minds the Jew as Shakespeare portrayed him with the Jew of today. Children are not analysts. The Jew of Shakespeare lives in the mind of the child as the Jew of New York or the Jew of Chicago or the Jew of Newark."

The Instruction Committee told the Superintendent to take up the matter with the Board of Examiners.

WALKER ESTATE $4,600,782.

Appraisal Shows $3,510,815 in Eastman Kodak Company Stock.

William Hall Walker, who died at his home, 23 West Fifty-fourth Street, on Nov. 29, 1917, at the age of 71 years, after spending the greater part of his life in inventing and developing photographic appliances, left a fortune appraised yesterday at $4,600,782, of which $3,510,815 was in stock of the Eastman Kodak Company. Mr. Walker was manager of the English branch of the Eastman kodak business for more than twenty years, and was one of the largest stockholders of the corporation.

While the public bequests in the will were small, Mr. Walker directed that if his daughter, Gertrude, who gets half the residue of $3,699,624 in trust and the other half on the death of his widow, Harriet Dana Walker, and has power to dispose of the entire residue in her will, fails to exercise such right the entire sum shall go to Stevens Institute of Technology, to which Mr. Walker gave $100,000 during his lifetime. He left $25,000 to Fairview Hospital, Great Barrington, Mass., where he had an elaborate country place, and $10,000 to the Visiting Nurses Association of that city. The Metropolitan Museum gets a painting of Whistler by William M. Chase valued at $1,500, four Chippendale chairs worth $300, and four Queen Anne chairs worth $300.

Mr. Walker gave $10,000 each to his friends, Helen Watt, E. Tatnall Nichols, Jeanette Edwards of London, Edith Jones of Hancock, Wis.; Christina Jarvis Burgess of Florence, Italy; Dr. Charles E. Atwood of New York, "for fidelity during a serious illness," and $1,000 to Mrs. Atwood for "her admirable qualities of mind and heart." His butler and faithful servant got $2,000 each and a like amount went to his manager, farmer, and head gardener at Brookside, the Great Barrington estate. Eeach employe got $500.

Many Relatives Were Also Remembered.

The appraisal filed yesterday does not include the Great Barrington real estate, but embraces his New York property, worth $102,500, including his residence, appraised at $100,000. He had $55,997 in personal effects and $10,538 in cash. The total of his stocks and bonds was $4,431,746. He had 1,890 shares of Eastman Kodak preferred stock, worth $201,768, and 7,397 shares of common, valued at $3,309,047.

William Kelly Estate $379,000.

The appraisal of the estate of William Kelly, Brooklyn contractor, who died Nov. 29, 1917, and who lived at 231 Berkeley Place, was filed in the Surrogate's Court in Brooklyn yesterday. The estate is valued at $379,000, and is divided between his widow, Mrs. Bridget Kelly; his son, William Jr., and his daughter, Mrs. Alice McCoy.

Father Ordained, His Child Baptized

Thomas Alfred F. Collett was ordained and his infant child baptized yesterday morning at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine by Bishop Burch. The ministration of baptism was given to Joane Coleta Hope Collett, the child of Rev. and Mrs. Collett. The event took place on the four hundredth anniversary of the death of John Colet, the reformer and Dean of St. Paul's Cathedral, London, and founder of St. Paul's School. Rev. Collett is the son of the Rev. Mawbey Earnest Collett of Rochester, N. Y., formerly of London.

Navy Day at Christmas Exposition.

Saturday is to be Navy Day at the Christmas exposition at the Grand Central Palace and all sailors and marines in uniform are to be admitted free as guests of the Manhattan Naval Post, American Legion, and the Navy Recruiting Service.

Tribute Paid to Colonel Hodge.

Public Service and Transit Construction Commissioners Lewis Nixon and John H. Delaney met yesterday and adopted resolutions of regret on the death of Colonel Henry Wilson Hodge, a former Public Service Commissioner, who rendered valiant service as a bridge builder in France during the war.

An Acknowledgment.

THE NEW YORK TIMES acknowledges contributions of $5 from Fred B. Merkle of 233 Broadway and $10 from B. M. Bowman, Great Neck Station, N. Y., for relief of the Armenians. This money has been forwarded to the Near East Relief, 1 Madison Avenue.

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Pearls.

Precious Stones

FIFTH AVENUE at FORTY-SIXTH

NEW LIFE INFUSED IN OLD CHARITY BALL

Innovations May Be Introduced to Arouse Interest of the Younger Generation.

MRS. ALEXANDER NOW HEAD

New Vice Presidents Include Mrs. George F. Baker, Jr., and Mrs. James W. Gerard.

The time-honored Charity Ball, which has become a sort of institution in the city's social history, has recently undergone reconstruction, in keeping with the spirit of the day. It was announced yesterday that a new Executive Committee had been appointed, with one exception. The ball is to be held on Feb. 3 at the Waldorf-Astoria.

Besides the new appointments it is expected that a number of innovations will be introduced, to arouse the interest of the younger generation in New York's historic function, given annually for the benefit of the New York Nursery and Child's Hospital.

Mrs. Charles B. Alexander is the new President and Mrs. Robert L. Gerry the new Secretary of the Ball Committee. The Directors of the hospital, it is said, received with reluctance the resignation of Mrs. Edward J. Berwind, who served as President last year and who has been obliged to sever all active connection with the committee, owing to illness. Mrs. Berwind served for fourteen years as Treasurer.

Owing to the absence from the city of Miss Lena Curtis, Mrs. Gerry is to take her place. Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee is to remain as Treasurer of the committee, a post she has held for the last eight years. Miss Florence V. Doane is to assist Mrs. Gerry as Executive Secretary.

Many new names also appear among the list of Vice Presidents who are to assist Mrs. Alexander. They include Mrs. George F. Baker, Jr., Mrs. Francis J. Carolan, Mrs. Gifford Cochran, Mrs. Newbold Le Roy Edgar, Mrs. James W. Gerard, Mrs. Summer Gerard, Mrs. Lawrence L. Gillespie, Mrs. E. H. Harriman, Mrs. Oliver Harriman, Mrs. Adolf Ladenburg, Mrs. Henry M. Monroe, Mrs. Frederick Pearson, Mrs. Whitelay Reid, Mrs. John Sanford, Mrs. Charles F. Roe, Princess Cantacuzene-Speranskey, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and Mrs. Charles F. Roe.

The Charity Ball was first given in the Academy of Music, and it was there that the late King Edward VII., then the Prince of Wales, was a guest of the ball. His grandson, the Prince of Wales, visited the scene of former social grandeur during his recent visit in this city.

BUY 250,000-ACRE RANCH.

Company Formed by Walter J. Hill Gets Big Montana Tract.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 23.—The purchase of 250,000 acres of Montana grazing land with 25,000 head of cattle was effected today by the Hill Land Corporation, organized by Walter J. Hill, son of the late James J. Hill; Justice Oscar Hallam of the Minnesota Supreme Court, R. P. McClelland, a Montana stockman, and F. S. Dalrymple of New York.

The huge ranch is twenty-five miles from Miles City along the Powder, Mizpah and Tonhue Rivers and has unusual water facilities, it is said. Mr. Hill said that the transaction involved $1,250,000. The property formerly was the Holt ranch.

DANCES FOR DEBUTANTES.

Misses Lela Emery, Beatrice Beard, Elizabeth Simonson Introduced.

The Hon. Mrs. Alfred Anson gave one of the largest balls of the season last evening in the large ballroom of the Ritz-Carlton to introduce her younger daughter, Miss Lela Emery, a daughter by her first husband, the late John J. Emery. About 900 guests were asked, and two orchestras played through the evening, making the music continuous, and from 11 P. M. there was a continuous supper in the large restaurant across from the ballroom. The decorations were simple, being garlands of smilax with ferns here and there. There were a number of older people invited, and one of the reception rooms was fitted up with card tables.

Miss Beatrice Beard, the débutante daughter of Mrs. Jeremiah Robinson Beard of 31 East Seventy-second Street, made her formal début last evening at a dinner and dance. The dinner for twenty-two guests was given for her by her aunt, Mrs. Jesse Benedict of 150 East Seventy-second Street, and was followed by a dance given by her mother, Mrs. Beard, for about 500 guests in the Della Robbia room of the Vanderbilt, which was gay with poinsettia and Christmas greens. The guests for the dinner included the Misses Marion Carroll, Dorothy Thompson, Virginia Sterry, Elsie Morrill, Katharine Gossler, Beatrice Hopkins, and Helen Dodd.

Another dance for a débutante was that which Mrs. William A. Simonson of 15 West Seventy-sixth Street gave at the Plaza to introduce her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Simonson. Like the other dances, it was preceded by several dinners. It took place in the Rose Room and the guests, who were chiefly the season's buds, numbered about 250.

Wed to Capt. Glenn H. Anderson.

The marriage of Captain Glenn Henry Anderson, U. S. A., recently returned from abroad and just appointed military instructor of the Akron University, Akron, O., and Miss Grace Marie Greenleaf of 326 Audubon Avenue, this city, took place last evening at the Astor, and was followed by a dinner and dance. The Rev. Father Stanton performed the ceremony. Capt. H. Wagner was the best man and the ushers were Lieut. Stanfell Barber and Lieut. Jadwin, all graduates of West Point. Miss Greenleaf was attended by Mrs. Charles R. Crooker as matron of honor. Miss Edna De Witt Kelly was the maid of honor and the Misses Marie Aloisan and Eileen Macfarlane were the bridesmaids.

Gov. Smith to Have Christmas Tree.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Governor and Mrs. Smith will do their Christmas shopping in Albany tomorrow, and in the evening there will be a real Christmas Eve gathering at the executive mansion. The Governor said tonight he would take a day off Wednesday and devote it to his family. There will be a big Christmas tree at the mansion on Thursday.

In Aid of Catholic Big Brothers.

John McCormack is to give a concert at the Hippodrome on Sunday evening next in aid of the Catholic Big Brothers. Miss Ethel Barrymore also is to appear on the program. The affair is to be given under the auspices of Archbishop Hayes. Many prominent society women are acting as patronesses.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Mrs. Walter Lester Carr of 66 West Fifty-first Street is to give a tea on Dec. 28, for Admiral Henry B. Wilson, U. S. N., commander of the Atlantic Fleet, and his daughter, Mrs. T. J. Hurley.

Mrs. Maximilian Justis Averbeck will give a reception for her daughter, Miss Carolyn Rodgers Averbeck, on Tuesday afternoon next, at her home, the Apthorp, Broadway and Seventy-ninth Street. Miss Virginia Rodgers Squier is to assist in receiving.

SAYS MEXICO WILL BEGIN PAYING DEBT

Representative of Carranza Says That Long-Deferred Obligations Will Be Met After Jan. 1.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 23.—Payment of Mexico's foreign debts will be resumed after Jan. 1, according to the promise of Luis Cabrera, Minister of Finance in President Carranza's Cabinet.

A special representative of President Carranza, who passed through San Antonio today, en route to Washington, is authority for the announcement of Cabrera's intentions to pay Mexico's debts, which, with the interest of more than five years standing, amounts to more than $500,000,000. The debt is for loans made in Europe, with probably $100,000,000 borrowed in the United States.

Cabrera's administration of finances has been criticised recently by the lower Chamber of Deputies of Mexico, but his answer has been that he has a great surprise in store. The surprise, according to the Special Commissioner here today, is the contemplated liquidation of the country's indebtedness.

DYCKMAN CLAIM SETTLED.

City to Pay $175,000 to Estate of Special Counsel.

Special to The New York Times.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Dec. 23.—It became known today that the representatives of the estate of Henry T. Dyckman, for nearly forty years special counsel for the City of New York in watershed proceedings, have settled his claim against the city for counsel fees for $175,000.

Mr. Dyckman was a prominent resident of White Plains for many years. He sued the city for $180,000. The fight over the claim has been pending more than two years, and when he died an award had been made by the court in his favor. The settlement was brought about by William N. Dyckman, a brother, who had advanced considerable money to him before his death.

$275,000 NECKLACE SOLD.

Chicago Jewelers Report Other Christmas Gifts of High Cost.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—A pearl necklace which sold for $275,000, several other gifts costing $50,000 to $100,000, and many rings and other pieces of jewelry purchased at $3,000 to $5,000, have gone to make this Christmas a record revenue producer, according to Chicago jewelers. Of the most expensive gift, the centre pearl alone cost $40,000, said the jeweler who sold it.

"Persons are buying who never bought before," said one shopkeeper, "and people who formerly bought $5 cuff links are now buying diamonds."

STEAMER CRIPPLED AT SEA.

The Corozal Is Being Towed to Port by a Collier.

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 23.—The American steamer Corozal, which was reported late today drifting helplessly at sea twenty miles east of the Diamond Shoals Lightship, was in tow of the collier Vulcan, headed for Norfolk, it was reported tonight by wireless.

Difficulty was experienced in landing a tow line, due to a heavy gale which was sweeping over the seas tonight. The messages did not indicate the exact nature of the Corozal's trouble.

She is bound from New York to South American ports.

Woolworth Building's Engineers.

THE TIMES learns that the statement in an article Monday recording the death of Henry W. Hodge, that Mr. Hodge had charge of the design and construction of the structural features of the Woolworth Building was incorrect. Cass Gilbert, architect of the Woolworth Building, had direct personal charge of its construction throughout, and had as his consulting engineers on all its structural features the Gunvald Aus Company of 244 Madison Avenue, which designed and also superintended that part of the work.

Louis J. Diemer, Pianist-Composer.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Announcement is made of the death of Louis Joseph Diemer, a widely known pianist and composer. He was born Feb. 14, 1843, in Paris.

Louis Joseph Diemer started his studies with Marmontel at the Paris Conservatoire. He continued his studies under Bazin and Ambroise, and in 1887 he succeeded Marmontel as Professor of the Piano at the Paris Conservatoire. He specialized in ancient music, and established the Société des Anciens Instruments. Pieces were written for him by Widor, Saint-Saëns, Lalo, and others. Among his compositions are a concerto for piano and orchestra, concerto for a violin and orchestra, and other works for the piano. He was a Chevalier of the Legion of Honor and the editor of "Clavecinistes Français."

Sydney Valentine.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Sydney Valentine, the actor, died here today. He was President of the Actors' Association.

Sydney Valentine was born in Dover in 1865 and made his first appearance on the stage with the Charles Dickens Repertoire Company when 17 years old. In 1889 he made his first trip to this country with Charles Wyndham, appearing in "David Garrick" and "Wild Oats." His last appearance in New York was in 1913, when he appeared in "Blackbirds" at the Lyceum Theatre.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. MELVINA ELLA CHASE, widow of Joshua Chase, an old-time shipbuilder, died of paralysis on Monday at the home of her son, 1,088 East Third Street, Flatbush, at the age of 90 years. Mrs. Chase was born on Staten Island and came of Revolutionary stock.

Mrs. MARIA E. BUCKLEY, 89 years old, widow of Captain Albion K. Buckley, a commander of sailing vessels, died from heart disease on Monday at the home of her son in Summit, N. J. Mrs. Buckley had been a resident of Brooklyn for more than fifty years.

ISAAC DA SILVA, founder and President of the Da Silva 5 and 10 cent stores syndicate, with branch stores in several Long Island villages, died at his home in Freeport on Monday. He was a member of the Odd Fellows, Foresters, and the Elks and of the Freeport Club and Spartan Masonic Lodge.

WILLIAM F. HEWITT, 74 years old, who was one of the early residents of Long Island City, died at his home there on Monday.

MRS. ELIZABETH DOROTHEA MORCH, widow of Anthony Morch, a Brooklyn jeweler, died of pneumonia on Sunday at her home, 155 Clarkson Avenue, Flatbush.

WILLIAM IRVING HOMAN, 33 years old, a pattern maker at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, died at his home, 108 South Oxford Street, Brooklyn, on Sunday.

Captain SAMUEL VAN HOUTEN, commander of the steamer Hattie Bell and a lifelong resident of Canarsie, was found dead of apoplexy on Sunday at his home there. He was a member of the Harbor Masters' and Pilots' Association and of Long Island Lodge, No. 382, F. and A. M.

FRANCIS BROWN, 92 years, a retired policeman and a veteran of the Mexican War, died on Saturday at his home, 15 Clinton St., Brooklyn. Since his retirement from the Police Department he had been a special officer in the Bank of the State of New York.

SIDNEY W. PROBERT, an artist, for many years connected with the public schools of Paterson, N. J., died on Monday at his home in Paterson. He was 54 years old.

CHARLES IRA CHESTER, 86 years old, a retired sea captain, died on Monday at his home in Noank, Conn.

Mrs. SARAH MORGAN BRYAN PIATT, author of several volumes of poems, died Monday at her home in Caldwell, N. J. She was 83 years old. Her poems on motherhood were her most popular works, and were published both in this country and in England.

SAMUEL TRIMMER, a retired coal merchant, died on Saturday at his home, 560 West 165th Street. He was 76 years old. Mr. Trimmer was a veteran of the civil war, having fought in the battle of the Wilderness and at Chancellorsville. He was a Trustee of the Dollar Savings Bank.

THEODORE SPITZ, 66 years old, of 235 Fort Washington Avenue, died yesterday at his home. He was the organizer of the Oriental Trading and Sales Company.

WILSON G. H. RANDOLPH, President of the Endurance Tire and Rubber Company, died yesterday at his home, 317 West Eighty-ninth Street.

LIBEL ACTIONS ARE ADJOURNED

Publication Concerned Occurrence at Open-Air Canteen During the War.

TIMES AND TRIBUNE CASES

Attorneys State Position of the Newspapers That No Reflection on Mrs. Hearst Was Intended.

The group of cases involving charges of criminal libel arising out of the publication in THE TIMES and The Tribune of an occurrence at Open Air Canteen No. 1, conducted during the war by the Women's Committee of the Mayor's Committee of National Defense, of which Mrs. William Randolph Hearst was Chairman, were called before Judge Wadhams in Part 6 of General Sessions yesterday. The cases were adjourned to Dec. 29.

The indictments were based on articles published on June 14, 1918. When the cases were called Alfred A. Cook, counsel for THE TIMES, requested an adjournment on account of the serious illness of John H. Paine, the Night City Editor at the time the article in THE TIMES was published, a defendant and a material and necessary witness. In the course of his remarks Mr. Cook said:

More than a year ago, when motions in the civil actions instituted by Mrs. Hearst against THE TIMES and Tribune were heard by Mr. Justice Philbin in the Supreme Court I stated that THE TIMES did not reflect nor was there any intention on its part to cast the slightest reflection upon the loyalty or patriotism of Mrs. Hearst, and that she was doing invaluable service in connection with the canteens. What I stated to Mr. Justice Philbin I state again to your Honor, and while the fact that THE TIMES did not reflect and did not intend to reflect upon Mrs. Hearst affords a complete defense to the indictments, it is difficult for me to see how under the circumstances the public interest can be prejudiced by your Honor granting my request for the adjournment.

Henry W. Sackett, counsel for The Tribune, supplemented Mr. Cook's remarks and mentioned that in the proceedings referred to before Mr. Justice Philbin, he as counsel for The Tribune had taken the position that The Tribune had not charged and had no intention of charging Mrs. Hearst with disloyalty and that in pleading its defense in the civil action, The Tribune had not alleged the truth of such a charge, even if its article was susceptible of that interpretation, and he restated his position.

Mr. Cook's statement to the Court yesterday correctly reflects the position of THE TIMES. It reported what it believed to be an actual occurrence and did not in fact charge or intend either directly or indirectly to charge Mrs. Hearst with disloyalty or lack of patriotism.

WINS CASE AGAINST CLIENT.

Lawyer, Called Hastily to Court, Argues for Wrong Litigant.

"What do you mean by winning this case against me?" cried David Friedman of 86 Sixteenth Avenue, in the First District Court in Newark to Harold Simandl, an attorney, yesterday. "You are my lawyer."

Simandl had just argued the case of Mrs. Jennie Lieberman against Friedman, who was suing to have a dispossess notice she had served on him set aside. The notice was served Dec. 1, and gave him a month to get out, while he contended he should have three months.

While Simandl was out of his office Friedman went to it and left word with the stenographer that he wanted Simandl to represent him. When Simandl returned the stenographer told him he was engaged in the Lieberman case. He hastened to court, arriving just as the case was about to begin. As Mrs. Lieberman was sitting alone he assumed he had been engaged by her, argued her case and won it.

When he learned he had represented the wrong litigant he examined the dispossess notice carefully and found that it had been improperly drawn, so that he could have won for Friedman, he said.

Plead for Austrian Prisoners.

There are still some 200,000 Austrians being held as prisoners of war in Russia, Siberia, and Turkestan, according to a dispatch from Vienna printed in the Deutsche Tageszeitung telling of the issuing of an appeal to the women of the whole world by the Free Association of the Mothers and Wives of these prisoners asking their aid in behalf of their relatives. The plea urges the women in all countries to hasten the ratification of the Peace Treaty and to do what they can to arouse public opinion in favor of the unhappy prisoners.

Engaged.

DAY—ACKERMAN—Mr. and Mrs. George H. Ackerman of Passaic, N. J., announce the engagement of their daughter, Marion Alison, to Dr. Selby James Day, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Day of Brooklyn, N. Y. Dr. Day during the war was aid de camp to the late General Milan Stefanic, Minister of War for Czechoslovakia.

Married.

SALLS—WICKNER—Miss Ruth Wickner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wickner of 1,890 7th Av., and Mr. Max Salls of New York were married Sunday, Dec. 21, at Rev. Spiegel's home.

WALLACH—MEYER—Mr. and Mrs. S. Berliner announce the marriage of their daughter, Alva Eli Meyer, to Mr. Harry Wallach, Tuesday, Dec. 23.

Died.

ADLER—Jane, beloved daughter of Clarence and Elsa Adler. Funeral private. Cincinnati papers please copy.

AITKEN—Suddenly, Lester, beloved son of William Aitken. Funeral services at his late residence, 892 East 167th St., Bronx, Friday at 2 P. M.

BAGG—William Smith, on Dec. 22, 1919, husband of Matilda McLean Lintz. Funeral private. Kindly omit flowers.

BEHN—On Dec. 22, Julius Behn of 174 Tompkins Av., Brooklyn, age 66 years, after an illness at the Lutheran Hospital, East New York. Funeral services at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, South 9th St., at 1 P. M. sharp. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery.

BERNSTEIN—Suddenly, on Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1919, Philopena Bernstein, widow of Henry Bernstein and beloved mother of Mrs. C. F. Zittel, Mrs. Arthur Jonas, Moe and Sol Bernstein. Funeral services at Martin Pick's Chapel, 227 Lenox Av., Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 2:30, Stephen S. Wise officiating. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery. Buffalo papers please copy.

BERRY—On Monday, Dec. 22, at his residence, 38 West 75th St., Earl D. Berry, husband of Fredericka W. Berry and father of Mrs. James Douglas Campbell. Interment in Buffalo.

BLACKWELL—Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1919, Edgar Sutton Blackwell of New York City, in his 71st year. Funeral private.

BURR—At his residence, 350 West 20th St., on Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1919, Stephen H. Burr, in his 87th year. Notice of funeral later.

CANNON—At Montclair, N. J., on Monday, Dec. 22, 1919, Jane Dormer Cannon, in her eighth year, daughter of William C. and Edith Dormer Cannon. Funeral services at residence, 320 Upper Mountain Av., on Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 3. P. M. Cars will be in waiting Montclair station, D., L. & W., for trains leaving Hoboken at 1:30 P. M., and at Erie station, Upper Montclair, for trains leaving Jersey City at 2 P. M.

CARMER—At his residence, 126 West 94th St., William Popham, son of the late Charles Whitehead and Mary Morris Popham Carmer. Funeral services at the Church of St. James the Less, Scarsdale, N. Y., on Wednesday morning, Dec. 24, at 11 o'clock.

CHEYNEY—Dec. 22, 1919, of pneumonia, Lillia Sanderson Cheyney, widow of Charles B. Cheyney and daughter of Mrs. Charles L. Sanderson. Funeral service at 150 West 13th St., Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 3 P. M.

CLARK—Eliza Ripley Tracy Clark, widow of Samuel Bradhurst Clark, at Clarens, Switzerland, Dec. 21, 1919.

DURYEA—On Tuesday evening, Dec. 23, 1919, Albert E. Duryea, in his 72d year. Funeral services at his late residence, 114 South Broadway, Nyack, N. Y., Friday, the 26th instant, at 3 P. M.

FEIBEL—Siegfried. Suddenly, on Monday, Dec. 22, beloved husband of Gussie (nee Kempner), father of Marvin, Felix, Abner, Tina, and Mrs. Harry Tausig. Funeral Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from his late residence, 509 West 134th St. Buffalo papers please copy.

FISHER—On Monday, Dec. 22, Lyman Webster Fisher, son of the late F. A. Fisher. Funeral services at the chapel of the Clinton Avenue Congregational Church, Lafayette and Clinton Avs., Brooklyn, on Friday at 2:30 P. M.

FOSKET—Suddenly, on Dec. 23, Robert, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Dayton H. Fosket of 153 East 48th St.

FREES—On Dec. 23, 1919, at his residence, 305 East 161st St., Bronx, John Frees, in his 79th year. Funeral from his late residence on Friday afternoon, Dec. 26, 1919, at 1 o'clock; thence to Church of Immaculate Conception, 150th St. and Melrose Av., at 2 P. M. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery.

GEISLER—Max, Monday, Dec. 22, at his residence, 15 West 123d St., beloved husband of Anna Geisler (nee Grossman) and father of Mortimer Geisler. Funeral Wednesday, Dec. 24, 12 noon.

HAHN—Entered into rest on Dec. 22, Rosa, beloved wife of the late Henry Hahn, and devoted mother of Carrie F. and Alvin. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral service at Meyers Parlor, 228 Lenox Av., Wednesday, at 1 P. M.

HAIGHT—On Tuesday, Dec. 22, 1919, Charlotte, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Haight and beloved sister of Leonore and Walter Haight. Funeral services will be held at her late home, 423 Rugby Road, Flatbush, on Friday, Dec. 26, at 8 P. M. Troy (N. Y.) papers please copy.

HODGE—Suddenly, on Dec. 21, 1919, at his residence, 51 East 82d St., Henry W. Hodge, age 54. Funeral service at the First Presbyterian Church, University Place and 10th St., on Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 10 o'clock. It is kindly requested that no flowers be sent.

HODGE—The associates of the ENGINEER CORPS AND COMPANY K, 7TH REGIMENT, N. G. N. Y., announce with sorrow the death of their member, Colonel Henry W. Hodge. Late A. E. F. members of the association are requested to meet at 9:45 A. M. on Wednesday, Dec. 24, at the First Presbyterian Church, University Place and 10th St.

COLONEL ROBERT McLEAN, President.

CHARLES H. VOORHEES, Secretary.

HODGE—VETERANS OF THE 7TH REGIMENT, N. G. N. Y. Members are requested to attend the funeral services of Colonel Henry W. Hodge, 10th Company, at the First Presbyterian Church, University Place and 10th St., New York City, on Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1919, at 10 o'clock.

WILLARD C. FISK, President.

HUNTINGTON—Tuesday, Dec. 23, at her home, 42 East 80th St., Alice Ford, daughter of the late James Coleman and Mary Trimble Ford of Louisville, Ky., in the 76th year of her age. Funeral services Friday, Dec. 26, in Grace Church Chantry, Broadway and 10th St., at 10 o'clock. Interment at Rhinebeck, private. Louisville (Ky.) and New Haven (Conn.) papers please copy.

KELLY—On Tuesday, Dec. 23, Alice Paris Kelly, residence, 28 St. Nicholas Place. Funeral notice later.

KIRK—Suddenly, Dec. 22, in his 52d year, William Kirk, beloved husband of Pearl and brother of Mrs. August Materne. Services 1 P. M. Wednesday, Dec. 24, at the residence of his sister, 599 2d St., Brooklyn.

LITTLE—On Sunday, Dec. 21, 1919, after a short illness, Griffith Charles Little, in the 54th year of his age. Funeral services private. Interment Spring Grove Cemetery, Cincinnati, Ohio.

LOWENHAUPT—On Monday, Dec. 22, 1919, Matilda Henrietta Johnson, beloved wife of Henry Lowenhaupt, in her 60th year. Services at the family residence, 151 Sterling Place, Brooklyn, on Tuesday, Dec. 23, at 8:30 P. M. Interment private.

LUDLAM—On Dec. 22, 1919, Henry, husband of Mabel Arey Ludlam. Relatives and friends are invited to the service on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock at his late residence, 426 South 47th St., Philadelphia, Pa. Interment private. New Hartford (Conn.) and Chicago (Ill.) papers please copy.

McKENNA—On Dec. 23, Marguerite C., beloved wife of James A. McKenna and daughter of Mrs. Mary Klan, at her mother's residence, 46 6th Av. Notice of funeral later.

MARX—On Monday, Dec. 22, 1919, Charlotte, beloved mother of Martha, Alexander, and Otto Marx, in her 64th year. Funeral service and interment private.

MATHESON—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. Robert Metcalfe, 86 Midland Road, Great Kills, Staten Island, Joanna, widow of the late James C. Matheson, in her 82d year. Funeral services on Friday, Dec. 26, 1919, at 12:30 P. M. Interment private.

MECKLENBURG—Abe, suddenly, on Dec. 23. Funeral services at his late home, 1,089 Gipson Place, Far Rockaway, 2 P. M. Wednesday. Interment at Denver, Col. Denver papers please copy.

MOLLER—At New Canaan, Conn., Dec. 21, 1919, Mary A., beloved wife of the late C. Gerhard Moller. Services at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Gerdes, New Canaan, on Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 4 P. M. Conveyances will meet train leaving Grand Central Station at 2:15 P. M.

MOORE—On Monday, Dec. 22, at Mt. Sinai Hospital, Marietta Moore, in the 23d year of her age, dearly beloved daughter of Nellie King Mordecai and granddaughter of Marietta Moore and the late Commodore Harrison B. Moore. Funeral from All Angels' Church, corner of 81st St. and West End Av., on Wednesday, Dec. 24 at 12 o'clock noon. Interment private at Woodlawn Cemetery.

NETTLETON—At Milford, Conn., Monday, Dec. 22, Mrs. Charlotte A. Nettleton, in her 86th year. Funeral services will be held at her late residence, 25 Prospect St., at 2:30 P. M., on Friday, Dec. 26.

PIATT—At Caldwell, N. J., Dec. 22, in her 84th year, Sarah Morgan Bryan, wife of the late John James Piatt of North Bend, Ohio. Funeral services in Cincinnati, Wednesday afternoon.

PLUMB—On Dec. 23, Mary R. (nee Ketcham), widow of the late Per Lee Plumb. Funeral services at her late residence, 508 West 162d St., on Friday, Dec. 26, at 8 P. M. Interment private.

RANDOLPH—On Tuesday, Dec. 23, Wilson G. H. Randolph. Notice of funeral hereafter.

REED—At Middlesex, N. Y., after a lingering illness, Robert H. Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Reed. Funeral from his late residence, 447 East 17th St., Brooklyn, Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 2:30 P. M.

REID—On Dec. 23, 1919, Howard C. Reid, in his 30th year. Funeral services at the residence of his father, Archibald R. Reid, 29 South Clinton St., East Orange, N. J., Friday, Dec. 26, at 2:30 o'clock.

SCHMUCKLER—Mary, suddenly Dec. 23, beloved wife of Peter and beloved mother of Jack, Moe, and Rose. Funeral 2 P. M. Wednesday from her late residence, 566 West 162d St. Interment Mount Hebron Cemetery. Kindly omit flowers.

SHANNON—William H., at Ellenville, N. Y., Dec. 23, 1919, aged 82 years, eldest son of the late William and Rachel Shannon of Yonkers, N. Y. Funeral Friday, 2:30, at St. John's Episcopal Church, Ellenville, N. Y.

SLOCUM—Lee J. ("Cy"), beloved husband of Anna B. Slocum of 215 West 88th St., on Dec. 23. Services at THE FUNERAL CHURCH (Campbell Bldg.), Broadway at 66th St., Friday, Dec. 26, at 11 A. M. New Orleans and Havana, Cuba, papers please copy.

SMITH—William J., of Bonnet & Smith, suddenly, Dec. 21, at his residence, 9 West 106th St. Funeral services St. Stephen's P. E. Church, 69th, near Broadway, Wednesday, Dec. 24, 10:30 A. M. Please omit flowers.

SPENCER—On Monday, Dec. 22, 1919, Mrs. Phila Spencer at her residence, 330 Main St., New Rochelle. Funeral private. Interment Taberg, N. Y.

SPITZ—Suddenly, Dec. 22, at 235 Fort Washington Av., in his 66th year, Theodore Packer, beloved husband of Mary E. and devoted brother of Mrs. A. Son, Mrs. Henry Lyons, Miss Hannah Spitz of San Francisco, Cal., and I. D. Spitz of Los Angeles, Cal. Funeral from Sol A. Rothschild's Funeral Parlor, 159 West 120th St., on Thursday, Dec. 25, 10 A. M. Baltimore, Md., and San Francisco, Cal., papers please copy.

STEEN—On Dec. 23, 1919, Henry Steen. Services at Funeral Chapel, 851 Amsterdam Av., near 102d St., this (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock. Interment at West Point, N. Y.

STINER—On Monday, Dec. 22, at his residence, 171 West 71st St., Martin E. Stiner, beloved husband of Lillie Strouse Stiner. Funeral service private.

STRASBURGER—On Dec. 23, at Boston, Mass., Zody Strasburger, formerly of Washington, D. C., husband of the late Sarah (Ullman) Strasburger and father of Jennie Coblenzer and Albert, Milton, and Irwin. Interment at Washington.

TINCKLER—At Maplewood, N. J., on Dec. 23, 1919, Arthur Brinckerhoff Tinckler, age 32 years. Funeral service at his late residence, 100 Maplewood Av., on Friday, 8 P. M. Interment private.

TRIMMER—Samuel, on Dec. 22, in his 76th year at his late residence, 560 West 165th St. Funeral services at Calvary M. E. Church, 129th St. and 7th Av., Dec. 24, 1 P. M.

VALLELY—James F., Jr., at Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 21, 1919, beloved husband of Jennie Vallely. Funeral private, Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 9:30 A. M., from residence of his father, James F. Vallely, Sr., 1,134 University Av., Bronx. Solemn requiem mass at Sacred Heart Church, 169th St. and Shakespeare Av.

WEEMS—On Dec. 22, 1919, at Pittsfield, Mass., in the 53d year of her age, Miss Mary Margaret Weems, daughter of Franklin Weems of Loch Eden and his wife, Mary Margaret Bowie Weems, both of West River, Md. Funeral services at the Protestant Episcopal Church, Lee, Mass., on Tuesday, Dec. 23, at 2 P. M. Interment private.

WILLIAMS—Clothilde B., on Tuesday, Dec. 23, after a brief illness, in her 75th year, at her residence, 818 East 166th St. Requiem mass at St. Anthony's Church, 166th St. and Prospect Av., on Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 9:30 A. M. Interment Greenwood, private. Please omit flowers. Pittsburgh, Syracuse, and Paris (France) papers please copy.

WOOLFF—Minnie E., beloved wife of Harry L. Woolff, in her 63d year, departed this life suddenly on Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1919. Funeral services on Friday, Dec. 26, 1919, at 11 A. M., at Universal Funeral Chapel, 597 Lexington Av., New York City.

In Memoriam.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Call Money at 18 Per Cent. Acts to Retard Trading in Stocks.

The expectation of continued high money rates was voiced in brokerage offices when business began in securities yesterday and trading was of a desultory character up to the time the money market opened. A renewal rate of 10 per cent. for call loans showed that the situation had been correctly estimated, and when borrowers of the afternoon had to bid higher stock quotations turned soft. The maximum call loan charge was 18 per cent., the highest since Nov. 15, and even though offerings of funds from interior banks increased as time went by the demand was sufficient to keep the rate as high as 16 per cent. at the end. These quotations supplied evidence additional to that presented on Monday that the banks were acting to overcome the reserve deficit of last week and at the same time were moved to strengthen their position as much as possible for year-end requirements.

Generally speaking, stocks acted well, considering the condition of market credit. The rather extensive decline of the preceding day had evidently prepared holders of stocks on margin to lessen their dependence upon the banks, but the record of dealings failed to show that any hasty efforts to lighten lines of long stock occurred during the session. There were some industrial stocks which declined a point or more than that, but a survey of the whole list at the close disclosed many with net gains of fractions. Copper shares were firm, buoyed up by the declaration of the Anaconda Company's quarterly dividend at the same rate as three months ago. The rails moved irregularly, and oil issues backed and filled without presenting a positive front. It was worthy of comment that short selling, which usually thrives on a day with such conspicuously high call loan rates, appeared not to be an important factor. Trading was under the pre-holiday influence, and a falling off of business as compared with Monday may have reflected the absence of many professional market followers.

The world continues to buy American goods in tremendous fashion, and such contraction as occurred during November because of unfavorable exchange rates was more than made up by increased purchases from other quarters. The November foreign trade figures showed forth exports which exceeded those of all other months except last June with its outflow of $928,000,000 worth of goods. A total of $740,000,000 exports at this time is amazing, but the weekly totals of cotton shipments during the month forecast a great expansion in the dollar value of this one form of raw material sent out of the country, and led to the assumption that other necessities would show a substantial gain. The record of imports was also worthy of close study, the aggregate of $429,000,000 being the largest with the exception of the $435,400,000 in September in the history of our foreign trade. The total last month was $178,000,000 greater than in November last year. If the detailed figures later show that the European countries which owe us most heavily enlarged their exports to us, it will be a matter for satisfaction in the light of their exchanges.

The November excess of exports to the amount of $311,700,000 had no direct bearing upon the exchanges yesterday, as sterling gained 2 cents to the pound with a final quotation of 3.83½ for checks. Francs advanced 15 centimes.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

TUESDAY, DEC. 23.

Call Loans on Stocks and Bonds.

High.	Low.	Renewal.	Last.
18	10	10	16

Call Loans on Acceptances.

Prime eligible acceptances..........4¾@5

Time Loans.

MIXED COLLAT'L.		ALL INDUSTRIALS.	
Sixty days	7½	Sixty days	8
Ninety days	7½	Ninety days	8
Four months	7½	Four months	8
Five months	7½	Five months	8
Six months	7½	Six months	8

Discount Rates, Federal Reserve Bank.

Commercial paper—
15 days, 4¾; 16 to 90 days, 4½
Government paper—
15 days, 4¾; 16 to 90 days, 4½
Trade and bankers' acceptances, 90 days, 4½

Open Market Rates, Bankers' Acceptances.

Eligible for rediscount with Reserve Bank, 60 to 90 days..........5¼@5
Nonmember and private bankers eligible, 60 to 90 days..........5¼@5
Not eligible, 60 to 90 days..........6 @5¾

Commercial Paper.

30 to 90 days..........6
4 to 6 months..........6
Other Names.
4 to 6 months..........6

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Range of Rates.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Change.
Sterling— Demand	$3.83¾	$3.82¼	$3.83½	+.02
Cables	3.84½	3.83¼	3.84½	+.02¼
Francs— Demand	10.36	10.43	10.38	+.15
Cables	10.34	10.41	10.36	+.15

Closing Rates.

Normal Rates of Exch.		Yesterday's Close— Demand on Checks.	Cables.
4.8665	London	$3.83½	$3.84½
5.1813	Paris	10.38	10.36
5.1813	Belgium	10.22	10.20
	China— Hongkong	98.00	98.50
	Shanghai	168.50	169.00
	Peking	180.00	180.50
40.20	Holland	37.50	37.625
19.30	Greece	15.30	15.38
5.1813	Italy	12.98	12.96
5.1813	Switzerland	5.53	5.51
32.44	India— Bombay	46.00	46.50
	Calcutta	46.00	46.50
49.85	Japan— Kobe	50.25	50.375
	Yokohama	50.25	50.375
19.30	Spain	19.35	19.45
50.00	Philippine Islands— Manila	49.00	49.25
26.80	Scandinavia— Stockholm	21.55	21.70
	Christiania	20.60	20.75
	Copenhagen	18.90	19.05
	South America—		
42.44	Buenos Aires	43.125	43.25
32.44	Rio	27.75	27.875
51.44	Russia (currency)—	Bid.	Asked.
	100 rubles	3.25	3.50
	500 rubles	2.75	2.90

The following exchange rates are quoted in the open market:

		Cents Per Kronen. Checks.	Cables.
23.83	Germany	*2.09	2.09
23.83	Poland	1.20	1.22
20.26	Austria	.70	.72
20.26	Jugoslavia	1.05	1.10
20.26	Czechoslovakia	1.90	1.95
19.30	Belgrade	¶4.80	4.80
19.30	Finland	†3.20	3.25
19.30	Rumania	‡3.25	3.30

*Cents per mark. †Finmarks. ‡Lei. ¶Dinar.

TIME BILLS ON LONDON.

Bankers. 60 Days.	90 Days.	Commercial. 60 Days.	90 Days.
Nominal.		$3.78	$3.76

Clearing House Exchanges.

Clearing House exchanges, $1,178,243,922; balances, $83,692,397; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $289,435; Federal Reserve credit balance, $53,074,129.

Domestic Exchanges.

Rates on New York at domestic centres: Boston, par; Chicago, par; St. Louis, 25@15c discount; San Francisco, par; Montreal, $76.25.

Silver Quotations.

Bar silver in London, 77¼d; in New York, $1.33½; Mexican dollars, $1.01½.

The Foreign Exchanges.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Trading was dull on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes, 60f. Exchange on London, 40f. 15c. Five per cent. loan, 88f. 20c. The dollar was quoted at 10f. 35½c.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Bar silver, 77¼d. per ounce. Money, 3¾ per cent. Discount rates—Short and three months' bills, 5⅝ per cent. Gold premium at Lisbon, 140.

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Revenue receipts:

	This Month.	Fiscal Year.
Customs	$17,202,679	$135,144,746
Internal revenue:		
Income and excess profits taxes	778,031,648	1,876,047,886
Miscellaneous	102,449,804	720,341,943
Miscellaneous rev.	26,738,384	328,215,511
Total receipts	$924,472,606	$3,059,750,089
Excess of receipts over disbursem'ts, exclusive of principal of public debt	607,554,986	609,547,960
Expenditures	289,967,899	3,326,069,785

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, DEC. 23, 1919.

	1919.	1918.	1917.
Day's sales	751,583	425,404	Holiday
Year to date	306,325,274	139,287,800	180,567,450

Closing. Bid.	Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
31	32	500	Adams Express	31½	31¾	31⅛	31⅛	+⅛
41	42	100	Advance Rumely	41¼	41¼	41¼	41¼	−¼
70½	71½	700	Advance Rumely pf	71	71	71	71	−¼
83¼	84	900	Ajax Rubber	83½	83½	83	83	−½
1¾	2	18,500	Alaska Gold Mines	1⅞	2	1⅝	1⅞	+¼
2	2⅛	3,500	Alaska Juneau	2	2	2	2	...
46¼	46⅝	1,500	Allis-Chalmers Mfg	46	46½	45⅝	46¼	+¾
91	92	200	Am. Agricul. Chem	91½	91½	91½	91½	+½
93	94	500	Am. Beet Sugar	93	93	93	93	+½
120½	122½	200	Am. Bosch Magneto	121	121	120½	120½	−1¾
..	..	2,200	Do. rights	6	6	6	6	−3
53¼	53¾	1,900	Am. Can	53⅝	53⅝	52⅞	53½	...
99½	99¾	200	Am. Can pf	99⅛	99½	99⅛	99½	+¼
137½	138	1,400	Am. Car & Fdry	138¼	138½	137	137½	+½
47	47½	300	Am. Cotton Oil	47½	47½	47¼	47½	+⅝
11⅞	12	500	Am. Druggists x d	11¾	11⅞	11¾	11⅞	−⅛
24¼	24⅜	1,300	Am. H. & Leather	24¼	24½	24⅛	24⅜	+⅛
115	115½	1,700	Am. H. & L. pf	115⅝	116	115⅛	115⅝	−½
46¼	47¼	100	Am. Ice	47	47	47	47	−½
111	111¼	12,500	Am. International	110	112	109¾	111	+1
70	70½	2,400	Am. Linseed	67¾	71	67¾	70	−2¼
92	93	100	Am. Linseed pf	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾	+¼
97¾	98	23,000	Am. Locomotive	96½	98⅝	96	97¾	+1¾
103	104	200	Am. Locomotive pf	103½	103½	103¼	103¼	−¾
27⅞	27¾	5,000	Am. Ship & Com	27¾	27¾	27½	27½	−½
66	66½	5,200	Am. Smelt. & Ref	67⅝	67⅝	65½	66¼	−¾
95⅝	96	500	Am. Smelt. & R. pf	95½	95¾	95½	95¾	−¼
79	81	250	Am. Smelt. S. pf. A	80	80	79½	79½	−½
105¼	107½	100	Am. Snuff	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞	+2⅝
44¼	45	1,000	Am. Steel F'dries	44½	44⅞	44¼	44½	...
117	118	50	Am. Sugar Ref. pf	118	118	118	118	...
96¼	97	4,100	Am. Sumatra Tob	96½	98¼	96⅛	96¾	+⅝
97¼	97½	4,200	Am. Tel. & Tel	97⅝	97⅞	97¼	97⅝	−⅞
250	270	100	Am. Tobacco	270	270	270	270	−4⅝
93	94	300	Am. Tob. pf. new	94⅞	94⅞	93⅝	93¾	−⅞
68⅛	68⅝	5,900	A. T. Securities	68½	68½	67⅞	68½	+⅝
125	126	1,200	Am. Woolen	125	125½	125	125	−1⅛
16	16½	1,000	Am. Zinc, L. & S	16½	16½	16⅛	16⅝	+¼
53½	57	2,600	Am. Zinc, L. & S. pf	54	55	53¾	54	−½
58⅛	58¼	12,000	Anaconda Copper	57½	58⅞	56⅞	58¼	+¾
5⅝	6½	1,300	Assets Realization	6¼	6¼	5½	5⅝	...
60¼	61	300	Asso. Dry Goods	60⅛	61	60⅛	60½	+¼
75¼	75⅝	100	As. Dry Gds. 2d pf	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛	+⅝
82½	82⅝	6,200	Atch., Top. & S. F	83½	83½	82¼	82½	−¾
79	79½	1,000	Atch., T. & S. F. pf	78⅞	79⅛	78⅝	79	+¼
89	89¼	400	Atlantic Coast Line	89	89⅝	89	89¼	−4
171	173	400	At. Gulf & West I	171⅛	172½	171⅛	172¼	−¾
19	19¾	400	Auto Sales	19	19⅞	19	19½	−⅞
109¼	109½	24,900	Baldwin Loco	108⅝	110	107⅞	109⅛	+⅝
31⅞	32½	5,500	Baltimore & Ohio	32½	32⅞	31¼	32	−⅞
46	47½	1,000	Baltimore & O. pf	47	47	46¾	46¾	−¼
120⅝	121½	600	Barrett Co	121⅝	121⅝	120⅞	120⅞	−1
1⅜	1½	200	Batopilas Mining	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	...
28⅛	28¼	400	Bethlehem Motors	28⅞	28⅞	28½	28½	−⅛
..	..	800	Beth. Motors rights	¼	¼	¼	¼	...
88	90½	100	Bethlehem Steel	90	90	90	90	−1¼
93⅝	93¾	6,000	Beth. Steel, Class B	93¾	94	92⅝	93⅝	+⅛
110½	112	400	Beth. Steel 8% pf	111¾	112	111	111	−1
12½	12⅝	1,100	Booth Fisheries	12⅝	13	12⅝	12⅝	−⅝
12¼	12⅝	2,300	Brook. Rapid Tran	13⅛	13⅛	12¼	12⅝	−⅞
8⅝	9	2,700	B. R. T. cfs. of dep	9⅝	9⅝	9	9	−1¼
51	53	600	Brook. Union Gas	53	53	51½	51½	−1½
7⅛	7¼	400	Bruns. Ter. & Ry. S	7½	7½	7⅛	7⅛	...
117	119	300	Burns Brothers	117⅞	117½	117⅛	117½	−2¼
8⅝	9	100	Butte Copper & Z	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	...
24⅞	25¼	1,200	Butte & Superior	25	25⅛	24⅜	25	−⅛
20¼	20½	200	Caddo Cent. O. & R	20½	20½	20¼	20¼	−¼
81⅞	82	3,900	Cal. Packing	80⅝	82	80⅝	82	+1½
43¼	44	1,800	Cal. Petroleum	43	43⅜	41⅜	43⅜	+1⅛
73⅛	73½	800	Cal. Petroleum pf	73½	73½	73½	73½	−¼
..	..	100	Calumet & Arizona	62⅝	62⅝	62⅝	62⅝	−⅝
130¾	131¼	4,300	Canadian Pacific	131¼	131½	130¼	131¼	−¾
94½	94¾	3,700	Central Leather Co	94	95	93⅞	94⅝	−⅛
108	111	100	Central Leather pf	108½	108½	108½	108½	+½
55¼	55⅝	1,600	Cerro de Pasco Cop	55½	55⅝	55⅛	55⅛	+⅛
120½	121	200	Chandler Motor	121	121	121	121	−¾
54½	55	1,700	Chesapeake & Ohio	55⅝	55⅝	54¼	54⅝	−¾
4	5	200	C. & E. Ill. pf., Eq. t. r	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼	−⅝
8¼	8½	500	Chi. Great Western	8½	8¾	8½	8½	+¼
23	23½	100	Chi. Gt. Western pf	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞	−⅜
37	37⅝	2,800	Chi., M. & St. Paul	38⅛	38¼	37⅞	37½	−½
52⅞	53¼	2,000	Chi., M. & St. P. pf	53	53⅛	52½	53	−1⅝
86¼	86½	1,200	Chi. & Northwest	87¼	87¼	86	86¼	−1
105½	106½	300	Chi. Pneu. Tool	104¾	104¾	104½	104½	+¾
26¼	26½	1,000	Chi., R. I. & Pac	26	26½	26	26⅝	...
69	70	500	C., R. I. & P. 7% pf	70	70	69	69	−2
59½	60	700	C., R. I. & P. 6% pf	59½	59½	59	59⅛	−⅞
59	60	100	C., St. P., M. & Om	59¾	59¾	59¾	59¾	+½
18⅛	18⅝	2,500	Chile Copper	18½	18⅝	18⅜	18½	...
35⅛	35½	1,500	Chino Copper	35⅝	35⅝	35	35	−⅝
94	97	500	Cluett, Peabody	95¼	97	95¼	97	+2
..	..	400	Coca-Cola	39⅝	39¾	39⅛	39⅛	+⅛
39¼	40¼	400	Col. Fuel & Iron	40	40	39¾	40	...
20½	21¼	300	Col. & Southern	21½	21½	20⅝	20⅝	−1¼
48⅛	52	300	Col. & South. 1st pf	49½	49½	49½	49½	+½
61⅛	62⅝	400	Columbia Gas & El	61⅛	62¼	61⅛	62	+1⅝
58⅛	58¾	10,300	Columbia Graph	58	59	57⅞	58½	+¾
54	57	100	Comp. Tab. Rec	55	55	55	55	+2
62½	64	100	Consol. Cigar	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾	−⅝
30½	30⅞	900	Con. Textile	31½	31½	30⅝	30⅝	−⅝
..	..	900	Con. Textile rights	⅝	⅝	⅛	⅛	−⅜
82	83	4,000	Consolidated Gas	83¼	84	81	82⅛	−1⅞
18⅛	18½	300	Con. Int. Cal. Min	18	18¼	18	18¼	...
12⅛	12⅝	600	Continental Candy	12½	12¾	12½	12⅝	−⅛
83¼	83¾	6,600	Corn Prod. Ref'g	84¼	84¼	83	83⅛	−⅛
107	107½	500	Do pf	107	107⅞	107	107⅞	+⅜
..	..	100	Cripple Creek Cent	1½	1½	1½	1½	...
210	211½	8,900	Crucible Steel	212	212	207	210½	−3½
99½	100	300	Do pf	100	100	100	100	−½
50	50⅝	3,200	Cuba Cane Sugar	49⅝	50¾	49¼	50¾	+¾
83¼	83⅝	600	Do pf	83½	84	83¼	84	+½
100	100½	100	Deere & Co. pf	100¼	100¼	100¼	100¼	+1
95¼	96	1,400	Delaware & Hudson	96	96¼	95½	95½	−1
6½	7	200	Denver & R. G	6⅛	6½	6⅛	6½	...
13⅝	13⅞	700	Do pf	13⅞	13⅞	13⅝	13⅝	−⅝
12⅝	13	900	Dome Mines	13	13	13	13	...
25⅝	26	200	Elk Horn Coal	26¾	26¾	25⅞	25⅞	−⅞
89½	91	100	Emerson-Brant. pf	90	90	90	90	+1
134¼	135¾	100	Endicott-Johnson	135	135	135	135	+½
103	103¾	300	Do pf	103½	103¾	103½	103¾	...
13	13¼	1,200	Erie	13⅛	13¼	13	13	−⅝
19⅝	20	700	Do 1st pf	20½	20½	19¾	19⅞	−⅝
14	15	200	Do 2d pf	14⅛	14¼	14⅛	14¼	−⅛
87⅞	88	800	Famous Players	88	88½	87	87⅞	−¾
9½	11	100	Fed. Min. & Smelt	10½	10½	10½	10½	+⅞
26⅜	28	100	Do pf	27	27	27	27	−1
121	125	100	Fisher Body	121	121	121	121	−2
40¼	40½	1,800	Fisk Rubber	41	41	40¼	40¼	−½
34⅝	35¼	5,900	Freeport Texas	35½	35½	34½	35	−½
17⅛	17⅝	2,400	Gaston, W. & W	18	18	17⅛	17½	−½
185	200	152	Gen. Chem. odd lots	185½	186	185½	186	...
70⅛	71	400	General Cigar	70⅝	71	70⅝	71	−½
93	100	100	Do deb. pf	94	94	94	94	+1
331⅝	331⅞	7,300	General Motors	328	332	325	331¾	+3¼
88	90	100	Do pf	89¾	89¾	89⅜	89¾	+1¼
86¼	87	800	Do deb	86⅞	87	86½	87	+⅛
79⅛	79½	1,500	Goodrich (B. F.) Co	80	80⅛	79	79⅛	−½
48⅛	49	600	Granby Consol	49	49	48½	48½	−1
77⅞	78⅛	6,800	Gt. Northern pf	78½	78¾	77⅞	78	−½
37⅞	38¼	1,600	Do cts. for ore p	38¼	38⅜	38	38	−¼
68½	69	200	Gulf States Steel	68	68	68	68	−1
94	96	100	Hartman Corp	94	94	94	94	+1
57	57½	900	Haskell & Barker	57	57	56⅞	57	...
86¼	87⅛	900	Illinois Central	87	87	86¼	86½	+¼
52¼	53¼	5,800	Inspiration Copper	52¼	53⅝	51⅜	53	+1
3⅝	3⅞	2,200	Interborough Con	3⅜	3⅞	3⅜	3⅞	...
10⅜	11⅜	4,100	Do pf	12½	12½	10	10⅛	−2⅜
18	18¼	100	Internat. Agricult	18	18	18	18	−½
129¾	131½	500	Int. Harvester, new	130	130	130	130	−1
47⅞	48	6,200	Int. Mer. Marine	48¼	48½	47¾	48	...
107⅛	107½	3,700	Do pf	107⅝	107⅞	106⅛	107¼	−⅝
21⅛	21½	4,900	Internat. Nickel	22	22¼	21½	21½	+½
74¾	75	2,400	International Paper	74½	75⅝	74¼	75	−½
37	39	400	Iron Products	37⅛	37½	37⅛	37½	−¼
15⅜	16	300	Jewel Tea	15⅜	15⅝	15⅜	15⅝	−⅜
38¼	39¼	500	Jewel Tea pf	39	39¼	38⅞	38⅞	−½
25½	26	600	Jones Bros. Tea	26	26	25¼	25⅞	+⅛
15	16	600	Kansas City South	16	16	15⅛	15⅞	+¼
44½	46	500	Kansas City So. pf	45½	45½	44⅛	44⅝	−¼
135	137	1,400	Kelly Springf. Tire	137	137	136	136	−3
75	80	100	Kelsey Wheel	75	75	75	75	+½
97	99½	100	Kelsey Wheel pf	99½	99½	99½	99½	...
28¼	28⅜	11,200	Kennecott Copper	28¼	28⅝	28⅛	28⅝	−⅜
42¾	43½	1,900	Keystone Tire & R	43⅝	43⅞	43⅛	43½	−⅝
85	85½	1,500	Lackawanna Steel	85	85⅛	84¼	84¾	+1
8⅞	12	100	Lake Erie & West	9	9	9	9	...
37¼	37½	200	Lee Rubber & Tire	37	37¼	37⅛	37½	+¼
42⅞	43	2,400	Lehigh Valley	43	43	42½	42⅞	−⅛
24⅞	25⅝	1,300	Loft Incorporated	25½	25½	25⅛	25⅝	...
178	183	200	Lorillard (P.) Co	180	180	178	178	...
110¼	111	300	Louis. & Nash	111	111	110½	110½	−3¼
65	68	200	Mackay Cos	66½	66½	65¾	65¾	−1
64	64⅛	300	Mackay Cos. pf	64	64	64	64	−1¼
41	42	3,700	Manhattan Elev	39	41	37⅝	41	...
..	..	300	Manhattan Shirt	31⅞	32	31⅛	32	+2
23½	24½	1,400	Martin Parry	24¼	24¼	23½	24¼	...
32⅛	32¾	400	Maxwell Motors	33	33	32⅞	32⅞	+¼
..	..	300	Do., ctfs. of dep	33	33	32¼	32⅝	−1⅛
61	63	200	Max. Motors 1st pf	62	62	62	62	−1⅝
..	..	400	Do., 2d pf. cfs. of d	30½	30½	30½	30½	...
215¾	216¼	19,200	Mexican Petroleum	216½	217⅞	213	216	−½
22½	23	1,000	Miami Copper	22½	22⅝	22⅝	22¾	−⅛
61½	62	1,900	Middle States Oil	61½	62½	61¼	62	−⅝
48⅝	48¾	6,500	Midvale Steel	49	49	48⅜	48¾	−⅜
13	14	300	Minn. & St. L. new	14	14	13½	13½	−½
72	73	100	M., St. P. & S. S. M	72¼	72¼	72¼	72¼	−2¼
9⅝	9¾	1,100	Mo., Kan. & Texas	9½	9¾	9⅜	9⅝	−⅛
13½	14	400	Mo., Kan. & T. pf	14¼	14¼	13½	13½	−⅞
25½	25⅝	3,400	Missouri Pacific	26	26	25½	25⅝	−¼
40¼	40⅝	1,300	Missouri Pacific pf	40⅝	40⅞	40¼	40¾	...
57⅝	58	700	Montana Power	58	58	57½	57¾	−⅝
100	103	200	Montana Power pf	100	100	100	100	...
47⅞	49	300	Mullins Body	47½	47½	47½	47½	−¾
..	..	100	Mullins Body pf	99	99	99	99	...
36½	37	100	Nat. Acme	36⅝	36¾	36¾	36¾	...
66	66½	600	Nat. Aniline & Ch	66	66	65½	66	+1
87	89	500	Nat. An. & Ch. pf	89	89	88¼	88¼	−¾
116	118	100	Nat. Biscuit	116¼	116½	116½	116½	+½
9⅝	9¾	1,600	Nat. Cond. & Cable	9⅞	9⅞	9¾	9¾	−⅛
85¼	86	100	Nat. Enam. & St	85½	85½	85⅛	85⅛	−⅛
80	80½	800	Nat. Lead	80¼	80¼	80	80¼	...
108	110	100	Nat. Lead pf	109½	109½	109½	109½	...
4½	4⅝	200	N. Rys. of M. 2d pf	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	...
14⅝	15	1,800	Nevada Con. Cop	15	15	14⅝	14⅝	−⅛
40½	42½	500	N. O., Tex. & Mex	41¼	41¼	40¾	40¾	−1
108¼	108¾	2,000	N. Y. Air Brake	110	110	108	108	−2
68⅞	69	5,000	N. Y. Central	69	69	68⅞	68⅞	−⅞
26	27	100	N. Y., C. & St. L	25	25	25	25	−2¼
42	42⅞	1,600	N. Y. Dock	42½	43	42½	42⅞	+1⅞
57¼	60	100	N. Y. Dock pf	60	60	60	60	...
26½	27	3,300	N. Y., N. H. & H	27⅛	27⅛	26⅝	26¾	−¾
11	12	382	Norfolk Southern	11	11	11	11	...
97	97½	3,800	Norfolk & Western	97½	99½	96¾	97	−½
65	66⅛	200	Norfolk & West. pf	66½	66½	66½	66½	−½
54	57	200	North American	55	55¼	55	55¼	+¼
79⅞	80	7,200	Northern Pacific	80⅞	81	79⅝	80	−1
71½	72	300	Nova Scotia Steel C	72	72	71¼	71½	−⅞
44⅜	45	11,400	Ohio Cities Gas	44¼	44⅞	43⅞	44⅛	−⅛
50½	51½	100	Ohio Fuel Supply	50½	50½	50½	50½	−½
9⅛	10	300	Ontario Mining	9¼	9½	9⅛	9½	...
9⅛	9⅜	6,100	Oklahoma P. & R	9½	9½	9¼	9¼	...
135¼	139	10	Otis Elevator	135½	135½	135½	135½	...
34⅞	35¼	600	Otis Steel	35¼	35	35	35	...
57½	58½	100	Owens Bottle	58¼	58½	58½	58½	...
100	..	100	Pabst Brewing pf	100	100	100	100	...
76	79½	700	Pacific Develop	75⅝	77	75¾	77	+1⅝
..	..	100	Pacific Gas & Elec	59	59	59	59	−½
35⅝	37	200	Pacific Mail	35¼	36⅛	35¼	36¼	+1⅛
37	38	500	Pacific Tel. & Tel	37	37½	37	37½	...
104	104½	10,300	Pan Am. Pet. & T	104½	104½	103	104	...
100⅝	101	5,300	Do. Class B	101⅝	101⅞	99⅞	101	...
32½	32⅝	100	Penn Seab. Steel	32¼	32½	32¼	32¼	−½
40⅝	40⅝	14,300	Pennsylvania R. R	40⅝	40⅝	40	40⅝	−1⅛

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MARKET AVERAGES.

STOCKS.
YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
25 railroads	56.73	55.81	56.08	—.55
25 industrials	120.10	118.32	119.44	—.01
50 stocks	88.41	87.06	87.76	—.28

DAILY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
Dec. 22	89.70	87.77	88.04	—.66
Dec. 20	89.17	88.21	88.70	+.48
Dec. 19	88.80	86.61	88.22	+1.56
Dec. 18	87.39	86.26	86.66	—.47
Dec. 17	87.91	86.51	87.13	+.57
Dec. 16	86.74	84.79	86.56	+1.49

MONTHLY RANGE OF STOCKS.

Dec.	High.	Low.	Last.
*1919	89.76 Dec. 11	84.10 Dec. 12	87.76
1918	76.34 Dec. 11	71.42 Dec. 26	73.39
1917	66.26 Dec. 31	57.43 Dec. 20	65.88
1916	99.26 Dec. 4	83.88 Dec. 21	88.22
1915	91.90 Dec. 7	88.58 Dec. 2	91.50

YEARLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.
*1919	90.59 Nov. 5	69.73 Jan. 21	87.76
†1918	80.16 Nov. 12	64.12 Jan. 15	72.45
Full Years.			
1918	80.16 Nov. 12	64.12 Jan. 15	73.39
1917	90.46 Jan. 4	57.43 Dec. 20	65.88
1916	101.51 Nov. 20	80.91 Apr. 22	88.22
1915	84.13 Oct. 22	58.99 Feb. 24	91.50

*To date. †To corresponding date last year.

BONDS.

		Net Change— Day.	Month.	Year.
YESTERDAY'S CLOSE. 40 issues	71.33	—.06	—1.86	—7.75

DAILY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

Dec. 22	....	....	Dec. 13	71.13	—.12
Dec. 20	71.29	+.18	Dec. 12	71.25	—.35
Dec. 19	71.11	+.06	Dec. 11	71.60	—.17
Dec. 18	71.05	—.11	Dec. 10	71.77	—.04
Dec. 17	71.16	—.02	Dec. 9	71.81	—.17
Dec. 16	71.18	+.05	Dec. 8	79.98	+.18
Dec. 15	71.13	....	Dec. 6	71.82	+.08

YEARLY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

	High.	Low.	Last.
*1919	79.05 June 2	71.05 Dec. 18	71.33
†1918	82.36 Nov.	76.65 Sep. 27	79.08
Full Years.			
1918	82.36 Nov. 12	75.65 Sep. 27	78.78
1917	89.48 Jan. 30	74.24 Dec. 20	74.52
1916	89.18 Nov. 27	88.19 Apr. 29	88.04

*To date. †To corresponding date last year.

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Celebrating Christmas.

The call money market yesterday had a pre-Christmas celebration of its own, running up to 18 per cent. in the afternoon, and closing not far from that figure. Renewals were made at 10 per cent., the highest renewal since the money upheaval of last month. Explanations in banking circles were the same as were given the day before; that money is tight and the refusal of many lenders to renew maturing time loans has forced borrowers of that kind of money into the call money market for the time being. In some quarters it is felt there will be a great paucity of time accommodation until after the first of the year.

The Edge Bill.

The Edge bill, it is believed, will be law today. According to Washington reports, the President yesterday sent the bill to Secretary of the Treasury Glass to be studied and, presumably, approved by him. Mr. Glass is supposed to be familiar with the measure and to approve it. The State Department, the report said, also would be asked to approve the measure, and it is understood that this will be done in time for the President to sign it before the close of the day.

Silver Exports.

The first shipment of silver to be undertaken under the new arrangement between the Government and the syndicate composed of the International Banking Corporation, the Park-Union Foreign Banking Corporation and the Asia Banking Corporation, will leave San Francisco tomorrow. It will consist of 3,000,000 American silver dollars. The metal goes in the original form of dollars, as it has been thought most expedient to rush this consignment rather than to incur the delay incident to melting down. The Chinese new year begins about Feb. 1, according to our calendar, and that at least part of the silver should reach its destination by that time, tomorrow's shipment is being handled in this way.

Rails Under Pressure.

The railroad shares as a group sold lower in the afternoon again yesterday. Selling pressure, attributable in part to profit-taking, and to professional operators, was in evidence, and the volume of business was increased in some individual issues. Despite the market action, sentiment in railroad and banking circles shows a slight improvement. Some persons believe if the President's message to Congress on the rails proves constructive, there is a chance to frame real remedial laws in conference. Others do not look for a concrete effective law from the Congressional conference and point to the wide difference between the two bills as proof that no agreement will be reached.

Stick to Their Knitting.

Reports from Europe that the German Government may grant a subsidy of 500,000,000 marks to rebuild the German merchant marine were regarded in some shipping offices as a warning to America to hasten the settlement of her merchant marine policy. Shipowners want remedial shipping legislation passed. Virtually nothing has been done to improve the situation in 1919. "Germany," said one shipowner, "is sticking to her knitting while we are only beginning to untangle our yarn. It is time to do something."

Regular Anaconda Dividend.

Directors of the Anaconda Copper Mining Company yesterday declared the regular quarterly dividend of $1 a share, payable Feb. 24 to holders of record Jan. 17. The continuance of the dividend at the $4 yearly basis was something of a surprise and became the signal for a buying movement in the copper stocks, nearly all of which showed pronounced strength during the afternoon. By many the maintenance of the dividend rate was taken to indicate that the copper industry is facing good business during 1920. Demand during November was better than at any time this year, and it has continued good up to the present.

Narrow Price Range.

For the most part, stock market prices fluctuated within narrow margins yesterday, fractional changes predominating at the close. The volume of trading was more restricted than has been customary recently, and for the most part the market seemed to be in the hands of professionals.

Railroad Deficit Still Accruing.

The railroad deficit is still piling up. The following table in the current issue of the Railway Age presents the situation:

	Average net operating income in test period	Net operating income earned Nov. 1918 to Oct. 1919, inclusive	Loss or gain
Nov.	$83,536,000	$57,123,000	—$26,413,000
Dec.	73,282,000	28,237,000	—45,045,000
Jan.	56,613,000	18,784,000	—37,829,000
Feb.	47,934,000	10,106,000	—37,828,000
March	68,251,000	10,843,000	—57,408,000
April	67,289,000	26,115,000	—41,174,000
May	77,385,000	39,462,000	—37,923,000
June	82,550,000	52,271,000	—30,279,000
July	75,341,000	77,177,000	+ 1,836,000
Aug.	86,860,000	92,397,000	+ 5,537,000
Sept.	91,273,000	77,763,000	—13,510,000
Oct.	94,333,000	76,397,000	—17,936,000
	$904,657,000	$566,675,000	—$337,972,000

These figures do not jibe with reports of the Railroad Administration, but The Railway Age, in explanation, says: "The way in which the Railroad Administration arrives at its conclusion that the railways have ceased to incur a deficit is very simple. The Government guarantees amount to an average of about $75,000,000 a month. Therefore, when the railroads earn more than this amount of net operating income in a month, the Railroad Administration announces that they have earned a surplus."

Demand for Alloy Steels.

It was reported yesterday that the United States Steel Corporation was about to enter into the manufacture of alloy steels, vanadium, chrome, tungsten, molybdenum, and the like on a larger scale than ever before. It also was asserted in news reports that the corporation would manufacture a large amount of the alloy steel used by the General Motors Corporation and had signed a long-term contract to provide a certain tonnage yearly. Judge Gary of the corporation would make no comment on the report. The increase in automobile manufacturing has created a demand far in excess of normal for alloy steels, and it is understood the steel corporation is manufacturing such steel at plants of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company at Birmingham, the Carnegie Steel Company at Pittsburgh, and the Illinois Steel Company at Chicago. Whether expansion in output is to be made at these plants, or whether other plants will take up the manufacture, is a matter of doubt.

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, DEC. 23, 1919.

	1919.	1918.	1917.
Day's sales	$39,960,500	$17,139,500	Holiday
Year to date	3,579,592,325	1,944,637,020	1,023,515,450

Following sales are given in lots of $1,000:

U S Liberty 3½s, 1932-47
27.... 99.06
37.... 99.08
2.... 99.00
6.... 99.02
219.... 99.08
*2.... 99.02
6.... 99.06
99.... 99.08
1.... 99.00
25.... 99.08
3.... 99.06
23.... 99.08
32.... 99.06
10.... 99.08
148.... 99.06
$570,000
1st conv 4s, 1932-47
24.... 92.80
2d 4s, 1927-47
117.... 91.36
9.... 91.32
5.... 91.30
25.... 91.28
9.... 91.22
6.... 91.24
5.... 91.22
16.... 91.30
1.... 91.22
1.... 91.20
10.... 91.24
2.5.... 91.16
20.... 91.24
18.... 91.20
5.... 91.30
$249,500
1st conv 4¼s, 1932-47
10.... 93.24
1.... 93.22
5.... 92.80
2.... 93.26
60.... 93.18
$84,000
2d conv 4¼s, 1927-42
110.... 91.40
35.... 91.44
100.... 91.40
138.... 91.48
58.... 91.40
50.... 91.44
256.... 91.42
13.... 91.40
15.... 91.36
30.... 91.38
6.... 91.40
2.... 91.30
15.... 91.36
15.... 91.32
5.... 91.30
73.... 91.26
10.... 91.30
34.... 91.26
50.... 91.20
10.... 91.24
45.... 91.20
150.... 91.22
315.... 91.20
31.... 91.18
50.... 91.20
4.... 91.16
57.... 91.18
185.... 91.16
68.... 91.20
85.... 91.28
20.... 91.28
35.... 91.20
3.... 91.24
9.... 91.30
2.... 91.20
5.... 91.26
25.... 91.14
80.... 91.20
25.... 91.26
116.... 91.20
1.... 91.24
22.... 91.20
20.... 91.22
40.... 91.28
25.... 91.30
50.... 91.24
19.... 91.20
65.... 91.26
12.... 91.24
8.... 91.20
30.... 91.30
40.... 91.32
20.... 91.22
2.... 91.20
469.... 91.20
25.... 91.26
5.... 91.30
10.... 91.30
1.5.... 91.16
70.... 91.28
10.... 91.24
165.... 91.20
47.... 91.22
2.... 91.26
60.... 91.22
6.... 91.24
35.... 91.26
130.... 91.28
54.... 91.22
25.... 91.24
171.... 91.20
75.... 91.18
131.... 91.20
4.... 91.16
10.... 91.18
20.... 91.20
2.... 91.30
15.... 91.20
28.... 91.16
7.... 91.14
70.... 91.18
58.... 91.16
290.... 91.14
20.... 91.18
5.... 91.16
110.... 91.20
19.... 91.18
15.... 91.20
5.... 91.16
50.... 91.14
37.... 91.12
10.... 91.14
8.... 91.18
10.... 91.16
120.... 91.12
30.... 91.18
50.... 91.16
$5,779,000
3d 4¼s, 1928
12.... 93.50
*50.... 93.46
45.... 93.48
65.... 93.60
45.... 93.50
40.... 93.44
50.... 93.50
75.... 93.52
10.... 93.46
42.... 93.44
10.... 93.46
15.... 93.40
10.... 93.46
50.... 93.48
28.... 93.50
18.... 93.44
70.... 93.42
30.... 93.40
31.... 93.38
109.... 93.26
240.... 93.30
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25.... 93.38
120.... 93.36
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1.... 93.38
140.... 93.36
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20.... 93.40
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40.... 93.48
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4th 4¼s, 1933-38
100.... 91.50
120.... 91.48
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145.... 91.42
278.... 91.40
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80.... 91.34
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63.... 91.34
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205.... 91.30
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10.... 91.28
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5.... 91.28
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15.... 91.30
100.... 91.36
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479.... 91.30
299.... 91.32
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81.... 91.30
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33.... 91.26
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352.... 91.34
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10.... 91.28
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10.... 91.28
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160.... 91.34
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155.... 91.28
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20.... 91.30
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150.... 91.30
50.... 91.36
$13,568,000
Vict Lib Loan 3¾s, 1922-23
170.... 98.90
55.... 98.84
498.... 98.90
3.... 98.88
50.... 98.94
125.... 98.90
100.... 98.88
15.... 98.90
35.... 98.86
475.... 98.84
38.... 98.90
200.... 98.84
10.... 98.88
25.... 98.84
45.... 98.88
$2,467,000
4¾s, 1922-23
246.... 98.84
347.... 98.86
129.... 98.88
219.... 98.84
35.... 98.88
64.... 98.84
188.... 98.88
65.... 98.86
46.... 98.80
78.... 98.88
88.... 98.86
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13.... 98.84
2.... 98.86
32.... 98.90
107.... 98.88
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102.... 98.90
90.... 98.88
144.... 98.86
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16.... 98.90
15.... 98.88
80.... 98.86
100.... 98.88
12.... 98.86
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95.... 98.86
44.... 98.88
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7.... 98.86
50.... 98.90
37.... 98.86
29.... 98.84
25.... 98.86
10.... 98.88
32.... 98.86
50.... 98.82
26.... 98.84
30.... 98.86
16.... 98.84
50.... 98.90
121.... 98.84
15.... 98.88
50.... 98.86
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Anglo-Fr 5s
2.... 95⅞
5.... 95½
18.... 95¾
1.... 95¼
4.... 95¾
2.... 95¼
5.... 95⅜
2.... 95¼
66.... 95¾
25.... 95⅞
1.... 95⅝
½.... 95⅜
5.... 95⅛
45.... 95⅛
Chinese Ry 5s
1.... 48
City of Lyons 6s, temp ctfs
5.... 92⅝
City Paris 6s
20.... 92⅝
6.... 92¼
2.... 92⅝
23.... 92⅝
10.... 92¾
2.... 92⅝
City Tokio 5s
3.... 57
Dom of Can 5s, 1921
10.... 97½
1931
5.... 91½
1.... 91⅝
2.... 91
Jap Gov 4½s, ster loan
1.... 76½
7.... 78
3½.... 78
2d series
20.... 78
English stmp
5.... 78
5.... 78½
5.... 79
German stmp 4s
4.... 76
5.... 78
4s, ster loan
1.... 71
U K of G B&I 5½s, 1921
25.... 95¼
10.... 95⅜
3.... 95½
15.... 95⅜
11.... 95¼
5.... 95⅜
7.... 95¼
10.... 95¼
18.... 95¼
13.... 95½
5.... 95⅜
5½s, '22, rcts
100.... 96⅜
250.... 96¼
28.... 96⅛
5½s, '29, rcts
1.... 94⅞
1.... 95
80.... 94⅞
1.... 95
1.... 94⅞
5½s, 1937
13.... 87⅜
18.... 87¾
25.... 87⅜
21.... 87⅜
36.... 87½
36.... 87
9.... 86⅞
1.... 86⅞
5.... 87
3.... 87¼
13.... 87¼
1.... 87⅛
3.... 87¼
20.... 87¼
2.... 87⅛
60.... 87
5.... 86¾
43.... 87
5.... 86⅞
20.... 86¾
26.... 87
NY City 4s, '58
2.... 89⅜
4s, 1959
2.... 89⅜
15.... 89½
4¼s, 1960
1.... 93¼
1964
2.... 94¼
4½s, 1967
10.... 98⅝
50.... 99½
Adams Exp 4s
3.... 56
Alb & S 3½s
10.... 72
AmAgC deb 5s
2.... 98⅝
8.... 98⅞
cv 5s
3.... 98½
Am Sm & Ref temp 1st 5s
4.... 84½
10.... 84¼
10.... 84½
3.... 85
AmT&T col 4s
27.... 77½
3.... 77⅞
3.... 77½
10.... 77
4.... 77¼
21.... 77⅛
col tr 5s
4.... 79⅜
9.... 79⅞
83.... 80
conv 6s
1.... 98⅞
2.... 98¾
3.... 98⅞
3.... 98⅜
5.... 98⅜
Arm & Co 4½s
10.... 81¾
5.... 82¼
3.... 81⅞
2.... 81¾
3.... 81⅞
Ann Arb 1st 4s
1.... 51⅜
A,T&SF gen 4s
15.... 77¼
1.... 77⅜
10.... 77⅛
2.... 77
5.... 77¼
7.... 77¼
4.... 77⅜
3.... 77⅛
5.... 77¼
5.... 77
9.... 77¼
1.... 78
2.... 77⅜
3.... 77⅛
6.... 77⅛
cv 4s, 1955
1.... 65⅞
cv 4s, 1960
1.... 88⅛
adjust 4s
1.... 69
stamped
15.... 68
3.... 69
Atl Coast L 1st 4s
1.... 77⅝
14.... 77¼
2.... 77⅛
gen unif 4½s
10.... 76¾
L & N col 4s
4.... 70
Balt & Ohio pr lien 3½s
6.... 81¼
11.... 81⅜
9.... 81⅛
19.... 81⅜
gold 4s
1.... 65¼
10.... 64½
2.... 64⅞
14.... 65
5.... 64
3.... 64½
3.... 64⅝
11.... 63½
20.... 63
3.... 62⅞
conv 4½s
45.... 59¼
88.... 59
2.... 58½
20.... 58
7.... 59
7.... 58
21.... 58½
6.... 59
4.... 58⅝
1.... 58½
5.... 58⅝
1.... 59
5.... 58⅝
5.... 58½
3.... 59
1.... 59¼
5.... 58½
19.... 59¼
60.... 59
2.... 58⅝
5.... 59
1.... 58½
15.... 59¼
5.... 59¼
10.... 59½
ref 5s
6.... 60
25.... 59¼
10.... 59
5.... 61
1.... 61½
1.... 61
10.... 61⅜
10.... 61
7.... 61¼
17.... 60
30.... 61
21.... 60¼
2.... 60
10.... 60⅞
5.... 60½
2.... 60
20.... 60½
temp 6s
20.... 86
2.... 86½
3.... 87
P,LE&WV 4s
8.... 54½
20.... 54
2.... 54½
2.... 54¼
3.... 54¼
3.... 54¼
2.... 53¾
6.... 53½
Beth Steel ext 5s
2.... 96⅜
1st & ref 5s
4.... 87
pur mon 5s
1.... 84¼
1.... 85¼
11.... 86
5.... 85
Braden Cop s f 6s
3.... 90⅝
25.... 90½
Bwy & 7th Av 1st con 5s
11.... 46½
Bklyn R T gold 5s
8.... 33¾
7.... 33½
7s, 1921
15.... 47
25.... 45½
10.... 45
1.... 45½
cfs of dep
5.... 45
14.... 47
4.... 46
35.... 44¼
25.... 45
stamped
1.... 45
50.... 43
B'lyn Un El 1st 5s
9.... 60½
1.... 60⅞
1.... 60⅝
Bush Term 5s
1.... 76
4s
5.... 79
Can Southn con 5s, Ser A
2.... 86
1.... 85⅝
Cen of Ga 6s
2.... 93
Cent Leath 5s
3.... 95
Cent of N J gen 5s
3.... 100
CentPac gtd 4s
4.... 75
5.... 75⅝
19.... 75½
gtd 3½s
10.... 81½
Ches & Ohio gen 4½s
3.... 72⅝
5.... 72⅝
5.... 72
1.... 72⅝
5.... 72¼
7.... 72
25.... 72⅜
5.... 72½
conv 4½s
2.... 74
29.... 73
31.... 73¼
1.... 73⅞
10.... 73½
2.... 74
5.... 73⅞
conv 5s
4.... 78¼
20.... 78¼
11.... 78⅛
2.... 78¼
8.... 78½
10.... 78⅝
10.... 78⅜
10.... 78
32.... 78¼
Chi & Alt 3s
23.... 45½
3½s
23.... 31
25.... 31¼
C,B&Q gen 4s
10.... 79
joint 4s
10.... 94⅜
12.... 94⅞
11.... 95
4.... 94⅞
1.... 94⅞
Neb ext 4s
10.... 91¼
2.... 92
Ill div 3½s
25.... 73½
2.... 74
2.... 73⅝
2.... 73½
Ill div 4s
7.... 82
Chi Gt Wn 4s
17.... 51⅞
2.... 52½
3.... 53
1.... 52½
2.... 52½
2.... 52½
8.... 54
Chi, M & S P gen 4s, Ser A
3.... 66½
10.... 66⅜
2.... 66½
4.... 66
10.... 66⅝
4s, 1934
5.... 58
Chi, M & St P gen 4½s
13.... 74½
2.... 75⅛
conv 4½s
4.... 64⅜
11.... 64½
2.... 65
20.... 64⅜
1.... 64⅛
1.... 64¼
9.... 64
12.... 63¾
16.... 63
1.... 63¼
18.... 64⅛
27.... 64
6.... 64¼
11.... 64¼
3.... 63¾
20.... 64⅜
5.... 64⅛
10.... 64⅛
cv 5s, Ser B
10.... 65
5.... 64½
23.... 64
5.... 64⅛
ref 4½s
2.... 56⅞
1.... 56¼
6.... 56⅛
2.... 57¼
8.... 56
1.... 56⅛
2.... 56⅛
C, M & P S 4s
10.... 63
1.... 62
C&NW gen 4s
3.... 77⅞
2.... 77
2.... 77⅝
gen 5s
11.... 96¼
1.... 97⅛
C, R I & P Ry ref 4s
10.... 67
35.... 66¾
2.... 66½
1.... 66⅝
8.... 66½
5.... 66
28.... 66⅛
2.... 66⅛
ChiUnSta 4½s Ser A
1.... 81¼
Chi&WI con 4s
5.... 57
2.... 56¼
Chile Cop 7s
1.... 106
10.... 105¼
20.... 105⅝
col tr 6s
25.... 81¼
47.... 80¼
8.... 80⅞
10.... 80½
C, C, C & St L gen 4s
1.... 61⅝
Col & So 1st 4s
10.... 83
1.... 83⅜
2.... 83¼
ref & ext 4½s
2.... 73
5.... 73¼
Con Gas cv 6s
21.... 99¼
Del & Hudson 1st & ref 4s
1.... 79
conv 5s
10.... 83
D & R G con 4s
4.... 65
1.... 64⅜
7.... 64½
improve 5s
1.... 70⅛
Det R Tun 4½s
34.... 73⅛
1.... 73⅝
Erie 1st con 7s
1.... 97⅞
1st con 4s
6.... 52⅝
4.... 52¼
12.... 52⅜
1.... 52⅝
2.... 52¼
2.... 52
1st gen 4s
13.... 42
23.... 41⅞
Erie-Pa c t 4s
28.... 80
cv 4s, Ser B
5.... 35⅛
5.... 35
cv 4s, Ser D
42.... 37⅛
20.... 38
Great North ref 4¼s
18.... 82
7.... 81⅛
3.... 81
HocVal 1st 4½
3.... 68½
3.... 68⅜
Hud & M 1st & ref 5s, Ser A
28.... 57
Ill C tem 5½s
6.... 92¼
5.... 92⅝
10.... 92¼
10.... 91⅞
2.... 92½
4s, 1953
4.... 70
5s30f.. 69½
ref 4s
2.... 77
Ill Steel 4½s
1.... 82⅝
15.... 82½
Ind Steel 5s
2.... 93¼
5.... 93
Inter-Met 4½s
11.... 16⅞
2.... 17
10.... 16⅝
6.... 16½
10.... 16
3.... 15⅝
10.... 16
7.... 16¼
5.... 16
7.... 15⅝
23.... 16
10.... 15¾
20.... 15¼
10.... 15⅞
5.... 15⅝
3.... 15½
3.... 16
15.... 15⅞
ctfs of dep
10.... 16¼
10.... 16¼
15.... 16
15.... 15½
5.... 15⅜
Int R T 1st & ref 5s
11.... 51¼
22.... 51¼
13.... 51
20.... 51¼
2.... 51¼
1.... 51¼
21.... 51¼
2.... 51⅜
10.... 51½
1.... 51¼
6.... 51¼
26.... 51¼
6.... 51¼
62.... 51⅝
29.... 52
4.... 51⅜
2.... 52
10.... 51⅜
28.... 51½
5.... 52
5.... 51⅜
3.... 51⅜
5.... 51¼
7.... 51¼
25.... 51⅞
29.... 51⅝
12.... 51¾
3.... 51⅛
3.... 51¼
1.... 51¼
10.... 51½
13.... 51⅞
10.... 51⅜
3.... 51⅞
1.... 52
10.... 51⅝
1.... 52
10.... 51¾
25.... 51⅞
I M M s f 6s
20.... 93
12.... 93¼
5.... 93½
6.... 94
10.... 94½
5.... 94
Iowa C ref 4s
6.... 36
KC,FtS&M4s
10.... 64
Kan C So 5s
12.... 72¼
10.... 72¼
2.... 72¼
7.... 72¼
Kan C So 3s
1.... 54¾
Kan C Ter 4s
5.... 71¾
Knox&O 1st 6s
1.... 100
LackStl5s,'50
5.... 95
2.... 95½
LS&MSo3½s
3.... 69¼
1.... 69
4s, 1928
10.... 84
1931
20.... 82¾
L V col tr 6s, temp rcts
6.... 100
2.... 99⅞
LVofPacon4s
6.... 70¼
Lex & Eastn 1st gtd 5s
5.... 83¼
Ligg & M 7s
1.... 110½
Ligg & M 5s
3.... 86
LorillardCo7s
5.... 108
L & N unl 4s
4.... 81¼
Manhatcon4s
2.... 58
1.... 57
tax exempt
2.... 57½
5.... 57⅛
3.... 57½
10.... 57
Midvale Steel col tr 5s
8.... 82⅝
2.... 82½
15.... 82
2.... 82½
3.... 82¼
11.... 82
M & St L 1st & ref 4s
1.... 36¼
12.... 36
1.... 36½
M,StP&SSM 1st con 4s
2.... 80¼
5.... 58⅛
M,K&T 1st 4s
22.... 35
1st&ref4s
9.... 36
MoPac 1st & ref 5s, 1926
2.... 86⅛
gen 4s
4.... 57
1.... 57¼
5.... 57⅝
11.... 57
1.... 57¼
2.... 57¼
3.... 57
15.... 56⅜
2.... 57
Mont P 5s, A
5.... 84
NassElRR4s
5.... 24⅝
NO,T&Mine5s
2.... 53
N O Term 4s
3.... 64⅞
NYCent deb 6s
5.... 90⅝
39.... 90⅛
44.... 90
4.... 90⅛
29.... 90
60.... 89⅞
34.... 90
5.... 90¼
5.... 90⅜
2.... 90¼
5.... 90¼
5.... 90⅛
1.... 90⅛
16.... 90
19.... 90¼
50.... 90¼
5.... 90¼
25.... 90¼
gen 3½s
1.... 67⅞
2.... 68
1.... 68½
deb 4s, 1934
5.... 79
con 4s, A
3.... 69⅝
4.... 69½
ref & imp 4½s, A
1.... 79⅛
1.... 79⅝
1.... 79⅜
4.... 79½
L S col 3½s
1.... 60½
8.... 60
N Y, C & St L deb 4s
1.... 66⅜
NYG,EL,H&P col tr 5s
7.... 81¼
pur money 4s
1.... 61½
N Y, N H & H cv deb 6s
5.... 66
2.... 66½
4.... 66¼
3.... 65¼
1.... 66
conv 3½s
9.... 47
NY,O&W ref4s
1.... 59¾
NYRys ref 4s, ctfs of dep
10.... 30¼
25.... 27½
adj 5s
9.... 6⅞
2.... 7
5.... 6¾
3.... 6⅝
ctfs of dep
10.... 7¼
2.... 7
25.... 6¾
N Y Tel 4½s
11.... 80¼
9.... 80
11.... 80¼
3.... 79½
4.... 79⅝
7.... 79
20.... 79½
63.... 79
s f deb 6s
7.... 95½
N Y, West & Bost 4½s
1.... 36
5.... 36¼
Norf & Westn con 4s
20.... 77
conv 6s
2.... 103¼
20.... 103⅞
5.... 103⅜
1.... 103⅜
Nor Pac 4s
26.... 76¾
4.... 76⅝
4.... 77
2.... 76⅝
4.... 77
19.... 77⅛
19.... 77
3s
1.... 54¼
1.... 54
9.... 54⅛
1.... 54⅛
5.... 54¼
10.... 54½
N States Pow 1st & ref 5s
1.... 83
4.... 82½
Ore & Cal 1st 5s
2.... 93¼
Ore ShL 1st 6s
6.... 99½
gtd ref 4s
3.... 82⅝
Ore-W RR & N 1st & ref 4s
11.... 69⅛
8.... 70
Pac G & El 5s
4.... 81⅛
4.... 81
Pac T & T 5s
5.... 85⅛
Penn R R gen 4½s
17.... 81¼
5.... 81⅛
2.... 81½
12.... 81
5.... 81¼
9.... 81⅜
10.... 81⅛
5.... 81½
2.... 81⅝
25.... 81
20.... 81¼
con 4½s
6.... 89¼
gen 5s
5.... 90¼
2.... 90⅛
10.... 90
20.... 90¼
2.... 90⅛
5.... 90⅛
10.... 90
8.... 90¼
1.... 90½
Pere M 1st 5s
10.... 85
57.... 84
25.... 85
1.... 86
5.... 85½
Phila Co conv 5s, 1922
10.... 86¼
Pub Serv Corp s f 5s
5.... 58½
Readg gen 4s
5.... 79
4.... 79¼
1.... 79
3.... 78⅝
27.... 79¼
5.... 78⅞
20.... 79¼
8.... 80
Readg Jersey Cent col 4s
5.... 79
Rep Ir & Steel s f 5s, 1940
2.... 94
RI,Ark&L 4½s
10.... 60½
StL,IrM&So unify & ref 4s
8.... 74
1.... 74¼
Riv & G 4s
3.... 68¼
St L & San F pr ln 4s, SerA
5.... 57
12.... 57¼
13.... 57
30.... 57¼
64.... 57
1.... 57¼
1.... 56⅞
5.... 57⅛
11.... 57¼
6.... 57
pr ln 5s, SerB
2.... 69⅝
4.... 69½
27.... 69
5.... 68½
adj 6s
13.... 59
4.... 58½
2.... 58⅞
1.... 58½
6.... 59
inc 6s
21.... 42½
2.... 42
7.... 42½
St L So Wn 1st Term 5s
1.... 56½
2.... 57
StP,M&M 4½s
1.... 90¼
SciotaV&NE 4s
2.... 75
SeabAL ref 4s
20.... 38½
5.... 38⅛
2.... 38½
gold 4s, stpd
15.... 60½
adj 5s
32.... 35
So Pac con 4s
10.... 79⅛
5.... 79
10.... 78¾
5.... 78⅞
8.... 79
3.... 79½
1st ref 4s
10.... 76¼
25.... 76½
1.... 76⅝
45.... 76⅝
5.... 76¾
26.... 76⅞
So Ry 1st 5s
1.... 85¾
2.... 85⅞
1.... 86
gen 4s
59.... 60
63.... 59⅞
5.... 59⅝
Tenn C, I & R gen 5s
1.... 91
Tex Co deb 6s
6.... 103¼
Tex & P 1st 5s
2.... 84
16.... 83
3d Av ref 4s
5.... 48½
5.... 49
2.... 49½
3d Av adj 5s
27.... 27½
37.... 27
T & O C 1st 5s
2.... 83¾
T,St L & W 4s
10.... 44
Un Pac 1st 4s
2.... 83¾
7.... 83¼
14.... 83½
9.... 84
conv 4s
71.... 85¼
1st & ref 4s
15.... 77½
5.... 77
3.... 77⅛
2.... 77⅛
3.... 77¼
Union Pac 6s
1.... 102
U S Rubber 1st & ref 5s
1.... 86⅞
26.... 86
1.... 86¼
9.... 86⅜
4.... 86⅝
7.... 87
U S S, R & M cv 6% notes
1.... 106
US Steel s f 5s
10.... 97
36.... 97⅛
1.... 97
1.... 97¼
1.... 97
25.... 97¼
5.... 97¼
Utah P & L 5s
2.... 82⅝
Va Ry & P 5s
1.... 70
Va Ry 1st 5s
2.... 83⅞
2.... 84
6.... 83¼
1.... 83½
Wabash 1st 5s
11.... 89¾
West Elec 5s
4.... 96⅜
West Md 4s
10.... 48
18.... 47½
29.... 48
West Pac 5s
1.... 81
West Shore 4s registered
4.... 72¾
5.... 70
WestUn fund &real es 4½s
5.... 80⅝
Wil& Co 1st 6s
6.... 97¼
1.... 96⅞
conv s f 6s
5.... 95¼
1.... 95
1.... 95½
2.... 95⅝
1.... 95⅛
5.... 95⅛

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BUSINESS BUILDING BRINGS $4,000,000

Hosiery Men Buy Albemarle at Twenty-fourth Street and Broadway.

MORTGAGE FOR $1,900,000

Emery-Beers and Paul Gunther, Inc., Purchase Property Built Four Years Ago.

The Albemarle Building, located on the site of the old Albemarle Hotel, Twenty-fourth Street and Broadway, was purchased yesterdaf by the Emery-Beers Company and Paul Gunther, Inc., manufacturers of hosiery, for a figure close to $4,000,000.

This purchase is another of many made recently by large concerns in established business centres. Many purchases have been influenced by the increasing demand for space and the heavy increase in taxes. Where a large mortgage can be obtained on the property the interest can be deducted from the income tax.

The Albemarle Building was sold by Mandelbaum & Levine, operators, through Albert B. Ashforth & Co. It was built by the Thompson-Starrett Company about four years ago. It is sixteen stories high and has a frontage of 159 feet on Broadway and 192 feet on Twenty-fourth Street. There is a $1,900,000 mortgage on the property, held by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

The buyers occupy four floors of the structure. Tenants include Marshall Field & Co. and the Chalmers Knitting Company.

LETS GONZALEZ RESIGN.

Carranza Reported to Have Reversed Policy Followed in Obregon's Case.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 23.—President Carranza has accepted the resignation of General Pablo Gonzalez of the Mexican Federal Army, in order that he may become a candidate for the Presidency, according to newspaper dispatches from the capital today.

He still refuses to withdraw his objections to the resignation of General Alvaro Obregon, it is said. General Obregon was named as Lieutenant Colonel by the President recently, a measure designed to keep him from entering the race.

President Carranza will present to each officer and enlisted man in the Mexican Federal Army one of his photographs as a Christmas present, according to Mexico City newspapers received today. One newspaper say that 100,000 of the chief executive's pictures have been printed for the soldiers.

LAUNCH NEW HOSPITAL SHIP

Wife of Rear Admiral Braisted Sponsor for the Relief.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 23.—The United States hospital ship Relief, believed to be the first of its kind ever constructed, was launched today at the Philadelphia Navy Yard. Mrs. Braisted, wife of Rear Admiral William C. Braisted, Surgeon General of the Navy, was the sponsor.

The Relief is of 10,000 tons displacement and is 483 feet long. She has a speed of 16 knots. Congress appropriated $3,250,000 for the hospital ship, which was started early in 1917. Work on her was abandoned during the war and was resumed last Spring. She was built to carry 500 beds, with complete operating rooms and field hospital equipment. She is divided into wards where various diseases can be segregated and will carry a complete medical staff of officers, nurses, and Hospital Corps men, besides the crew.

Acceptances Up.

The Federal Reserve Bank yesterday advanced the rate at which it is willing to buy acceptances. The former rates were 4½ per cent. for thirty-day paper; 4⅝ per cent. for sixty-day paper, and 4¾ per cent. for ninety-day bills. The new rates are ⅛ of 1 per cent. higher throughout the list. This is the second advance in buying rates this Fall, the first rise having been made from the level which obtained for more than a year, and which quoted the shorter bills at 4¼ per cent. and the longer at 4½ per cent. Yesterday afternoon, after it became known that the Reserve Bank had taken this action, most dealers moved their rates up to figures ⅛ of 1 per cent. above the bank rate.

Australian Credits.

It is rumored that financial agents of Australia are making advances to local bankers in the hope of arranging financing here for the benefit of Australians, primarily to help the exchange situation. In banking circles, while it is admitted that Australian exchange is none too firmly established, it is felt the Australians themselves have sufficient exportable goods to work out their own salvation. In this respect, it is said, Australia is much more fortunately situated than some other applicant countries, and for this reason is not as likely to receive first consideration in the allocation of credits.

Legal Aid Society Raises Budget.

The directors of the Legal Aid Society held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the office of its President, Charles E. Hughes, 96 Broadway and adopted a budget for the year 1920 amounting to $59,203,000, which is an increase of $12,276 over 1919. George S. Hornblower, Chairman of the Membership Committee, commented on the lack of support from the bar. The society has now taken over the work of the War Committee of the Bar and also attends to seeking the discharge of soldiers and sailors, who have dependents, for the Red Cross.

Advertising Agents Buy Building.

Albert Frank & Co., financial advertising agents, have purchased, through Pease & Elliman, the four-story building at 14 Stone Street, formerly owned by the Davidson estate. The present building will be completely remodeled. Two floors and a marble front will be added, and when the alterations are completed Albert Frank & Co. will be sole occupants.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

N. C.—Fair Wed.; Thurs., fair and colder.
S. C., Ga., Fla., Extreme N. W. Fla., Ala., and Miss.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs.; not much change in temperature.
Tenn. and Ky.—Cloudy Wed.; Thurs., fair; not much change in temperature.
Ind.—Cloudy and colder Wed.; Thurs., fair.
Ohio—Cloudy and colder Wed., probably snow near Lake Erie; Thurs., fair.
L. Mich.—Snow flurries and much colder Wed., cold wave in n.; Thurs., partly cloudy, with rising temp.
U. Mich.—Snow flurries and much colder Wed., cold wave; Thurs., cloudy, with rising temp.
Ill.—Cloudy Wed. Thurs., fair; not much change in temperature.
Mo.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs; not much change in temperature.
Wis.—Cloudy Wed. Thurs., fair.
Minn.—Unsettled Wed, snow and warmer in n. Thurs., fair.
Iowa—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs.; not much change in temperature.
N. Dak.—Unsettled Wed., snow and warmer in e. Thurs., fair.
S. Dak., Neb., and Kan.—Fair Wed. and Thurs; not much change in temperature.
Mon.—Fair Wed. Thurs., probably fair cept rain or snow in the extreme n. w.; continued mild temperature.
Wyo.—Partly cloudy Wed. and probably Thurs.; not much change in temperature.

PLAN FOR THRIFT WEEK.

Adolph Lewisohn Gives Luncheon to Discuss National Campaign.

A luncheon was given yesterday at the Bankers Club by Adolph Lewisohn, Chairman of the National Committee for Thrift, at which plans were discussed for a national thrift week to begin on Jan. 17 next, under the direction of the Y. M. C. A. The date selected for beginning the campaign is the anniversary of the birth of Benjamin Franklin and the plans now under consideration are most comprehensive.

Among the speakers at yesterday's meeting were George Waterford, representing the Credit Men's Association; De Witt Van Buskirk of the Bayonne Chamber of Commerce, Winslow Russell of the National Life Insurance Underwriters, and J. L. Clarkson, representing the construction industry. W. E. Knox, H. C. Richards, E. K. Satterlee, C. R. Burnett, Le Roy Mershon, E. C. Delafield, Frank R. Chambers, C. R. Towson, A. M. East, William Orr, E. A. Hungerford and George Keenan also attended.

Reynolds Elected Director.

Arthur Reynolds, Vice President of the Continental and Commercial National Bank of Chicago, was yesterday elected a Director of the Asia Banking Corporation. At the same meeting it was decided to increase the number of Directors from fifteen to eighteen.

Treasury Certificates Subscriptions.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Subscriptions to the issue of Treasury certificates of indebtedness dated Dec. 15 and maturing June 15, 1920, aggregated $728,130,000, Secretary Glass announced today. Of this amount $257,455,500 represented certificates paid for in Treasury certificates of previous issues.

DROP LONDON FREIGHT PLAN

Officials Find Centralization Scheme Expensive and Impracticable.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The Board of Trade Committee today rejected the scheme of A. W. Gattie to reform freight traffic in London by replacing the existing seventy-four freight depots with one central clearing house.

The committee gives as its chief reason the huge capital expenditure involved, the displacement of a large portion of the population, the impracticability of dealing with traffic over the tracks connecting trunk systems with the clearing house, the congestion of street traffic created around the clearing house and the necessity of maintaining also the existing depots for coal and other minerals.

Gilbert Paper Company Sold.

It was announced yesterday that the Hercules Paper Company has purchased a controlling interest in the Frank Gilbert Paper Company, which operates three large mills, one at Waterford, N. Y., and a paper mill and a pulp mill at Cohoes, N. Y. H. I. Prankard, President of the Frank Gilbert Company, who sold the controlling interest to the Hercules Company, will become Vice President of the latter concern.

Loving Cup for Fred E. Farnsworth.

Fred E. Farnsworth, for several years General Secretary of the American Bankers Assocation, and who is retiring from that position to become President of the Bankers' Statistics Corporation on Jan. 1 next, received a silver loving cup yesterday, presented by his associates in the offices of the American Bankers Association. General Counsel Thomas B. Paton delivered the presentation address.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

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Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
33¾	34	1,500	People's Gas, Chi.	34½	34½	33½	33⅝	−⅞
28½	28¾	4,600	Pere Marquette	28⅞	28⅞	28⅛	28⅝	+⅛
66½	67½	600	Pere Marq. prior pf.	66⅝	67⅛	66½	67⅛	+⅝
36¾	37	4,200	Philadelphia Co.	36	37	36	37	+1
75	75½	6,800	Pierce-Arrow	75½	76¼	74⅝	75¼	−¼
106	107	100	Pierce-Arrow pf.	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛	−⅞
19⅝	19¾	3,900	Pierce Oil	19½	19⅝	19⅛	19⅝	...
57	60	100	Pitts., C., C. & St.L.	59⅞	59⅞	59⅞	59⅞	−⅛
62	63¼	200	Pittsburgh Coal	61¾	62	61¾	62	−1¼
91	94	100	Pittsburgh Steel pf.	92	92	92	92	...
27½	28	4,400	Pitts. & West Va.	27½	28	27⅜	28	...
27	27½	1,700	Pond Creek Coal	27	27⅝	27	27⅝	+⅝
98⅝	99½	1,100	Pressed Steel Car	99	100	98¼	98⅝	−⅜
100	101	200	Pressed Steel C. pf.	101	101	101	101	...
112½	112⅞	1,600	Pullman Co.	113	113¾	112⅝	112¾	−⅝
92	93	800	Punta Alegre Sugar	91½	92½	91½	92½	+⅜
96¼	97	900	R'way Steel Spring	96⅛	96¾	96⅛	96¾	−⅛
105	109	100	Ry. Steel Spring pf.	106	106	106	106	−1¼
20	20⅛	1,400	Ray Consol. Copper	20	20⅛	20	20	−⅞
76¼	76⅜	4,100	Reading	76¼	77	76⅛	76¼	−⅝
34	35	100	Read. 1st pf. sel.5 f.	34½	34½	34½	34½	...
33¾	34½	1,200	Reading 2d pf. x d.	34½	34½	33¾	34	+⅛
88	90	1,300	Remington Typew.	86¼	88¼	86¼	88¼	+2
111¾	111⅞	24,100	Rep. Iron & Steel	111¼	112½	110¼	110⅞	−⅝
..	..	100	Do. rights	1	1	1	1	...
52	53⅝	600	Republic Truck	53	53¾	53	53⅜	−⅛
97¼	97½	4,100	Royal Dutch-N. Y.	97⅞	98¼	97	97¼	−¼
13¼	13⅜	900	St. Joseph Lead	13½	13½	13⅜	13⅜	+⅛
17⅛	17¼	1,100	St. Louis-San Fran.	17¼	17¼	17⅛	17⅛	−¼
22	25	200	St. Louis-San Fr.pf.	24⅜	24⅜	24⅜	24⅜	+½
13½	13¾	800	St. Louis Southwest	14⅛	14⅛	12⅝	13½	−½
14	14¼	500	Saxon Motor	14	14	14	14	...
7¼	7½	500	Seaboard Air Line	7½	7½	7¼	7¼	−¼
13	13½	200	Seaboard Air L. pf.	14⅛	14⅛	13½	13½	...
11¾	12	700	Shattuck-Arizona	11¾	12	11¾	12	...
76⅝	77½	1,800	Sheel Transp. & Tr.	78	78	76½	76½	+1½
43⅛	43¼	52,300	Sinclair Cons. Oil	42⅛	43¼	42⅛	43¼	+⅛
71	71½	800	Sloss-Shef.Steel & I.	72½	72¼	71	71	−1¼
102¼	102⅜	8,000	Southern Pacific	102⅝	103¼	102⅛	102½	−¼
21⅞	22	2,100	Southern Railway	22⅛	22½	21¾	22	−⅛
55½	56	800	South. Ry. pf. x d.	56⅝	56⅝	55⅝	55⅝	−1
103⅝	103½	11,000	Studebaker Co.	103½	104⅝	102½	103⅝	−⅛
109	114	100	Stutz Motor	112	112	112	112	−½
47	47⅝	200	Superior Steel	47⅜	47⅜	47	47	−½
9¾	9⅞	900	Tenn. C. & C.	9⅞	9⅞	9¾	9¾	−⅛
225	226	1,000	Texas Co.	225	225½	224½	225	+½
..	..	1,300	Texas Co. rights	59¼	59¼	58	58½	−½
42¼	42½	2,700	Texas & Pacific	42	43	41⅞	42½	...
11	12	1,200	Third Avenue	11½	11½	11⅛	11⅛	−⅛
91¾	92¼	2,700	Tobacco Products	92	92¼	91⅝	92¼	+⅜
102	102½	550	Tobacco Prod. pf.	102¼	102¼	102	102	−⅜
17	19	500	T.,St. L.& W. pf.t r.	18¼	18¼	18	18	−¼
37⅝	37¾	16,400	Transcont. Oil	38⅜	38½	37⅛	37⅝	−⅛
62	63	100	Transue & Wms.	62½	62½	62½	62½	...
36⅞	37	14,200	Union Oil	35⅝	37½	35⅜	37	+1½
121⅝	122	5,600	Union Pacific	122⅝	123	121⅝	122	−⅝
68	69	900	Union Pacific pf.	66⅝	69	66⅝	69	+2½
..	..	200	United Alloy Steel	50	50¼	50	50¼	+¼
51½	52	200	United Drug 1st pf.	52¼	52¼	52	52	−¼
27	28⅝	1,100	U. S. Express	25	27	25	26⅝	+1⅞
198	200	200	United Fruit	200¼	201	200¼	201	+⅝
11½	11¾	1,300	United Ry. Invest.	10⅝	11¾	10⅛	11½	−⅛
26½	26¾	3,500	United Ry. Inv. pf.	25	26⅝	25	26⅝	+1⅝
90⅝	91¼	7,000	United Retail St.	91¼	91⅝	90½	90⅝	−⅝
77	78⅝	2,000	U. S. Food Prod.	78⅝	78⅝	76½	77	−1⅛
109¼	109½	17,500	U. S. Indus. Alco.	109	111	108¼	109½	+½
40½	42½	200	U. S. R. & Imp. Co.	42½	42½	42	42	−1½
124	124½	4,000	U. S. Rubber	124	124½	123⅛	124	...
113½	114	200	U. S. Rub. 1st pf.	113½	113½	113½	113½	...
74¾	75¼	2,100	U. S. Sm., R. & M.	74	75¼	74	75¼	+⅝
46½	47½	200	U. S. S., R. & M. pf.	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾	...
104¼	104⅜	27,200	U. S. Steel	104½	104⅝	103⅝	104⅜	+⅝
112¼	113	1,200	U. S. Steel pf.	112½	113	112¼	112½	...
72½	73	1,200	Utah Copper	72½	73	72⅛	73	+⅞
10⅛	10½	1,500	Utah Securities	9⅞	10⅛	9¾	10⅛	+¼
57½	57⅞	1,300	Vanadium Corp.	57⅛	57½	56¼	57½	+⅝
65	65½	400	Va.-Car. Chemical	66	66	65⅝	65⅝	−¾
109	112	100	Va.-Car. Chem. pf.	112	112	112	112	...
8¼	8½	500	Wabash	8½	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛	−⅝
22⅞	23	2,600	Wabash pf. A	23½	23½	22⅜	23	−½
15½	16	100	Wabash pf. B	15½	15½	15½	15½	+½
52¾	53	39	Wells Fargo Exp.	52⅝	52⅝	52⅝	52⅝	...
11	11¼	800	Western Maryland	11½	11⅝	11	11	−⅝
17½	18½	800	Western Md. 2d pf.	18	18	18	18	...
20½	21	300	Western Pacific	21	21	20⅜	20⅜	+¼
55	56	500	Western Pacific pf.	57⅛	57⅛	56	56	...
86¼	87⅛	100	Western Union Tel.	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛	...
114	115	800	Westingh. Air Br.	114½	114½	114	114	+¾
53¼	53½	1,200	Westingh. E. & M.	53¾	53¾	53⅛	53¼	−⅜
12	12½	3,300	Wheeling & L. E.	12½	12⅝	12¼	12⅝	+⅛
18	19	400	Wheel. & L. E. pf.	19	19	19	19	...
58¾	59	2,000	White Motors	59¼	59½	58¾	58⅞	−⅞
..	..	2,000	White Motor rights	2⅛	2⅛	2	2	−⅛
78½	79	900	Wilson & Co.	78½	78½	78	78	−2
27⅞	28	4,800	Willys-Overland	27⅞	28¼	27¾	28	...
88	90	200	Willys-Overland pf.	88	88¼	88	88¼	−¼
28	34	100	Wisconsin Central	30	30	30	30	...
121¼	122¼	100	Woolw. (F. W.) Co.	121⅝	121⅝	121⅝	121⅝	...
84⅝	85	700	Worthington Pump	84½	85	84½	85	−¼
72	74	300	Worth. Pump pf. B	72¼	72¼	72¼	72¼	−1¼

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

FOREIGN ISSUES.

Closing quotations for Government and municipal bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
Anglo-French 5s	95⅝	95½
Argentine 5s	72	73⅝
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1921	97⅛	97½
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1926	93	93¾
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1931	91⅛	93
Chinese Government 5s	47½	48
Republic of Cuba ext. 5s, 1944	90⅞	91⅝
Republic of Cuba ext. 5s, 1949	85	87
Republic of Cuba ext. 4½s, 1949	75	76
Dominican Republic 5s	..	87
City of Bordeaux 6s	92⅝	92⅞
City of Lyons 6s	92⅝	92⅞
City of Marseilles 6s	92⅝	92⅞
City of Paris 6s	92¼	92⅝
Japanese 4½s	76	78
Japanese 4½s, second series	78	78⅜
Japanese 4s	68	71
City of Tokio 5s	56¼	57
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1922	96	96¼
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1920	94⅞	95
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1921	95¼	95⅝
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1937	87¼	87½
United States of Mexico 5s	35	47½
United States of Mexico 4s	..	41⅞

UNITED STATES ISSUES.

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
2s, r, 1930	100	100½
2s, c, 1930	100	100½
4s, r, 1925	105½	106½
4s, c, 1925	105½	106½
Pan 2s, r, 1936	99½	100¼
Pan 2s, c, 1936	99½	100¼
Pan 2s, r, 1938	99½	100¼
Pan 2s, c, 1938	99½	100¼
Pan 3s, r, 1961	88½	90½
Pan 3s, c, 1961	88½	90½
P I 4s, '34	92	96
P I 4s, '35	92	96
P I 4s, '36	92	96
Dist of C 3-65s	97	..

STOCKS.

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
Allis-Ch M pf.	94	95¼
Am Ag Ch pf.	95¼	98
Am Bk N.	45	47
Do pf.	44¾	46¼
Am B Sug pf.	88½	94
Am B S & Fdy	86¼	97
Do pf.	160	200
Am C & F pf.	113	115½
Am Exp.	86¼	95
Am Ice pf.	64	67
Am Malt	44	46
Am Shipb.	..	135
Am Sn pf.	84	92
Am Stl Fds pf.	91	94
Am Sug R.	134	138
Am S Tob pf.	90	92½
Aw W pf.	102½	103½
Am Wr Pa pf.	54	56
Ann Arbor	7	12
Do pf.	16	21
Asso D G 1st pf.	71½	72
Asso Oil	117	119
Autos pf.	33	34
A, B & A.	7½	8
A, G & W I pf.	72	75
Bald L pf.	100½	102½
Bar Leath	93	95½
Do pf.	93	95
Barrett Co pf.	110	112
Beth S 7% pf.	98½	98¾
Booth Fish pf.	..	77
Buff & S.	65	70
Do pf.	50	54¼
B'klyn Ed.	87	92
B, R & P.	50	52½
Burns Bros pf.	110	115
Bruns Ter.	85	100
But'k Co.	25	26
Cal P pf.	117	..
Can So.	41	48½
Case (J I) pf.	98	100
C R R of N J	175	205
C & S A T.	115	120
C'tain-teed	53¾	55
Do 1st pf	84¼	90
Do 2d pf.	74	..
Chi & Alt.	7	11
Do pf.	..	15
C & E Ill.	4	5
C & N W pf.	117	118
Chi, St P, M & Om pf.	91	100
C, C, C & St L.	43	48½
Do pf.	63	67
Cl & Pitts.	..	80
Clu-P pf.	..	109
Col Gr pf.	91½	93¼
C & S 2d pf.	40	48
Con Cig pf.	79	80
Cont Can.	86¼	89
Cont Ins.	80	..
Crex Carp.	55	60
C-Am Sug.	398	415
Do pf.	106	112
D, L & W.	188	196
Det Ed.	113	117
Det U Ry.	..	100
D, S S & A	3½	4½
Do pf.	8	10
Em Bran.	28	30
Elec S B.	130	140
Elk H Coal pf.	38½	45
Fairbanks.	79½	..
Do pf.	98½	..
Erie & P.	..	70
Fisher Bdy pf.	105	10
Gen Ch pf.	97	99
Gen Cig pf.	96	100
Gen Elec.	166¾	169
G'drich pf.	100	104
Greene-C.	33½	33¾
Gray & D.	47½	48
G, M & N.	7½	8½
Do pf.	30	31
Gulf S S 1st pf.	92¼	97
Homestake.	71	76
Int Ag pf.	80	81
Int H pf.	112	113½
Int N pf.	90	93¾
Int Pa pf.	90	110
Do pf, s.	77	79
Int Salt.	70	71
Iowa Cent.	4½	5½
Isl Cr Ck.	..	50
Kelly S T pf.	93½	100
Do 8% pf.	100	102
K & D M.	4	5
Do pf.	16	..
Kress (S H)	76	85
Do pf.	100	112
Lacl Gas.	38	39
L E & W pf.	13½	17
Ligg & M.	195	201
Do pf.	100	109
L-W Bisc.	68	70
Do 1st pf	90	100
Do 2d pf.	15	115
Lorill'd Co pf.	110½	111
Man B'ch.	⅝	2½
Marlin R.	61	71
Math Alk.	32	38
Max M 2d pf.	30½	32
M Dep Sts.	119	122
Do pf.	106	112
Mich Cent.	..	109
M, St P & S S M pf.	91	94
Do 1 l.	50	60
Mor & Es.	70	..
N, C & St L	107	113
Nat B pf.	112	114
Nat C & S.	78	80
Do pf.	101	104
Nat En pf.	101	102
Nat Rys of M 1st pf.	5	16
N Y, C & St L 1st pf.	63	70
Do 2d pf.	43	49
N Y, L & West	..	90
N Y, O & West	16¾	17
Otis Stl pf.	98¼	103
Owens B pf	98	100
Pac Coast.	35	50
Do 1st pf	60	100
Do 2d pf.	44	60
Parrish & B	45½	46¼
Peo & E.	11	14
Pere M pf.	49	50
Pett-Mull.	35	55
Do 1st pf	100	..
Pierce O pf	100	101
Pitts C pf.	91	95
P, Ft W & C	110	125
Do pf.	123	..
P & W Va pf.	75	78
P S, N J.	60	65
R R Sec, I C stk cfs	45	77
R T 1st pf.	101¼	103
Do 2d pf.	100	102
Rens & S.	..	117
Rep I & S pf.	106	106½
Rep Steel.	49	51
St L S W pf.	25	26½
Savage A.	73	74
Sears-R	226½	230
Do pf.	114¼	118⅞
S-S S & I pf.	90	93
So P R S.	225	242
Do pf.	110	116
St'd Mill.	135	150
Do pf.	86	89
Strom C.	72	72½
Studeb Co pf.	100	100½
Sup Stl 1st pf.	101	104
T P L Tr.	300	500
Tide W O.	210	240
T, St L & West	6	12
Do ctfs.	10	11
Do pf.	15	24
T C R T.	31	35
Do pf.	..	95
Und Type.	175	188
Do pf.	106	115
U B & P.	90	95
Un Cig Sts.	125	225
Do pf.	110	140
Un Drug.	141	142
U S C I P.	21½	22
Do pf.	52	53½
U S Ind A pf.	102	105
Va I, C & Coke	79	81
Va R & P.	..	48
W E & M 1st pf.	64	65
Wilson pf, ex div.	95	100
W'w'th pf.	112½	114
Wor Pump pf. A.	92	96

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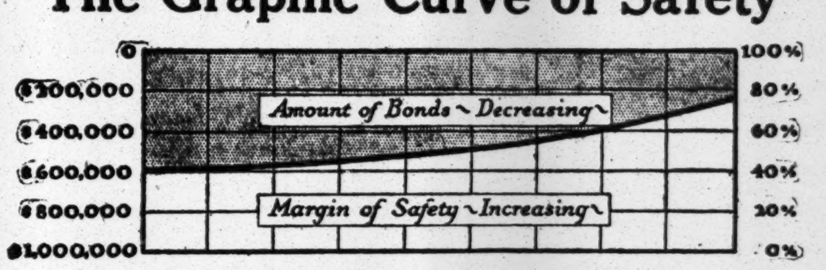

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EXPECTED TO ACCEPT IT

Indiana Operator Believes His Colleagues Will Abide by Commission's Decisions.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—A statement issued tonight by the Executive Committee of the bituminous coal operators is taken to mean that the committee is ready to agree to President Wilson's plan for settling the coal strike, but wishes first to have the sanction of the operators throughout the country. Announcement is made that a meeting of operators from all parts of the nation will be called at an early date to consider the situation. The statement reads:

"The coal operators have always courted a full investigation of the bituminous coal industry. They welcome one now. They are whole-heartedly eager to have come out of this controversy a program that will be constructive and that will insure industrial peace.

"The miners and the operators have interpreted President Wilson's letter of Dec. 6 in different ways.

"Because of this fact and the rapid changes in the situation during the last two weeks, it has been impossible to keep the many coal operators, scattered over the country, fully advised. The Executive Committee therefore feels that it is imperative to call a meeting of the representatives of the operators from the several coal fields, extending from Pennsylvania to as far west as the State of Washington. This meeting will be held as soon as possible.

"In the meantime steps have already been taken to gather such facts and statistics as may be necessary for a full presentation of the operators' case."

Operators Expected to Agree.

It is believed that the operators will now consent to the coal commission going ahead with its duties as set forth by the President. The operators insist that they are heartily in favor of an investigation of prices and wages, and say they will aid in the inquiry. But they hold that it would be impossible for a commission to make a study within two months of the intricate "differentials," as the varying wage scales are termed.

No statement was made at the Department of Justice today regarding the coal controversy, but the general attitude was a confident feeling that the operators would accept the settlement. Attorney General Palmer's statement of last night that "ways" would be found to see that all parties "kept the faith" in the agreement was repeated, and officials said that they believed that these words had produced an effect. One official held that the Government had the power to seize the mines if the operators did not agree to co-operate. But this he regarded as an extreme measure.

Henry M. Robinson of the President's coal investigation commission, has left Washington, and is not expected to return until after the holidays, it was said today. It is not now believed that he will meet John P. White and Rembrandt Peale, the other members of the commission, until after New Year's.

It is understood that the coal situation was discussed at a Cabinet eeting held this forenoon. Following the meeting Mr. Palmer indicated that he was not disturbed by talk that the operators would not join in the settlement plan.

Penna Predicts Agreement.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 23.—In a statement declaring that the attitude of the coal operators of the central competitive field has not been changed by any person in authority since they agreed to a plan similar to that proposed by President Wilson for settling the miners' wage controversy, Phil H. Penna, spokesman for the operators in the wage negotiations of the last few months, late today indicated that the operators would abide by the decisions of the commission appointed by the President to arbitrate prices and wages.

Mr. Penna said that the President's plan for appointment of a commission differed in some details from the plan agreed upon by the operators, and expressed the belief that the operators should have been consulted before it was presented to the miners. He said, however, that it agreed in principle with the resolution adopted by the operators.

FIX MINERS' PAY FOR ILLINOIS.

Operators and Workers Apply 14 Per Cent. Increase to Scale.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—A tentative agreement applying the 14 per cent. wage increase settlement of the recent soft coal miners' strike was made today by representatives of Illinois coal operators and miners. The agreement provides for a flat rate of 11 cents a ton increase for pick and machine mining. Yardage and dead work rates in effect Oct. 31 will be advanced 14 per cent.

Both sides to the conference expressed dissatisfaction with the national settlement and declared that they would present their objections to the National Commission appointed by President Wilson.

The tentative agreement will be retroactive to Nov. 1, the date of the beginning of the strike, for engineers and others who were engaged in keeping the mines in condition during the strike. It also will be retroactive to Nov. 1 for miners unless the Interstate Commerce Commission decides otherwise, the operators announced.

TRY TO BAR NON-UNION FISH

Investigator Says Unions Are Keeping Out Large Quantities.

Thousands of pounds of fish from New England towns are being kept out of this port, Philadelphia and Boston by the Atlantic Fishermen's Union, according to George A. Post, of Edgartown, Mass., who is in this city making an investigation for the Massachusetts Fishermen's Association, said to number 1,000 independent fishermen. Mr. Post said yesterday his report probably would be sent to Attorney General Palmer. The independents assert a conspiracy is afoot affecting interstate trade.

The trouble started last Summer, Mr. Post said, when Rob Jackson, a prominent New England fisherman, refused to take union men on his boat. Others took a similar stand and united to form the Fishermen's Association. In retaliation, he said, union fish handlers and truckmen were ordered not to touch Jackson's catches.

When the local union headquarters opposite the Fulton Market is informed that a consignment of fish from non-union fishermen is on its way to this port, he added, the New York union men are told to refuse the fish. In consequence, many barrels of fish are allowed to rot, and dealers have been unable to get them.

Pinces said to be on the union "blacklist" include Provincetown, Nantucket, Edgartown, Vineyard Haven, and Martha's Vineyard. From these towns, said Mr. Post, several hundred barrels of fish a day could be sent, each barrel worth between $25 and $30.

F. B. Coates, president of the John Feeny Corporation, the largest fish dealers at Fulton Market, said the facts of the union boycott as told by Mr. Post were correct, so far as he knew. "Non-union fishermen are in the minority, he added, and there is no real scarcity of fish.

MAXWELL MOTOR REPORT.

Net Income Decreases—$6,473,839 Claims Against Government.

The annual report of the Maxwell Motor Company for the year ended July 31, 1919, shows net income available for dividends of $1,529,499, as compared with $2,292,202 in the preceding year. The net manufacturing profit for the year just closed amounted to $2,144,214, whereas in the preceding report an amount of $2,437,114 is shown. Miscellaneous revenue increased during 1919 so that the total income of the company was $3,229,323, as against $3,163,334 in 1918. The earnings available for dividends in the present report are equivalent to about $11 a share on the first preferred stock. In 1918 the amount available for the first preferred was $17.19 a share. An amount of $900,000 is withheld from net income this year as a reserve against contingencies in the settlement of claims under United States Government contracts. A year ago the reserve against contingencies was only $60,000.

In his remarks to stockholders W. Ledyard Mitchell, President of the company, stated that claims against the Government amounting to $6,473,839 were now in process of adjustment, and the income account was therefore subject to change when a final determination of the claims has been made. The total amount of the claims includes work done for the Government in the Chalmers Motor Corporation plants which are leased to the Maxwell Company. Because of these claims not having been settled, the Directors deem it wise to conserve cash resources. The company was engaged to 80 per cent. of its capacity on war work at the beginning of the last fiscal year. It was not until May 21, 1919, that the company's plants were completely cleared of this. This resulted in a curtailment of passenger car and truck output. The net working assets of the company and its subsidiaries are $14,996,697.

Capital Stock Increase Approved.

The stockholders of the Tobacco Products Export Corporation at a special meeting yesterday approved an increase of $250,000 in the capital stock and sanctioned the issuance of 50,000 shares of stock. This will make the total authorized issue 500,000 shares. The greater part of the newly authorized shares will be used to pay the recently declared 5 per cent. stock dividend.

Extra Leather Dividend Declared.

The Central Leather Company has declared an extra dividend of $2 a share, in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on the common stock. Both dividends are payable Feb. 12 to stock of record Jan. 9.

COMMODITIES MARKETS.

CORN.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Dec.	$1.45⅝	$1.43⅜	$1.44⅛	$1.44	..
Jan.	1.38¾	1.36	1.36⅜	1.38¾	1.39⅝
May	1.35½	1.33¼	1.33⅜	1.33⅝	1.35⅜
July	1.33½	1.31⅞	1.32¼	1.32¼	..

OATS.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Dec.	83¼	82¾	82¼	82¼	68⅝
July	76⅞	76¼	76⅝	76⅛	..

In the local market cash oats were quoted as follows: No. 1 white, 98; No. 2, 97@97½c; No. 3, 96½; No. 4, 95¼.

RYE.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
May	1.84½	1.79½	1.82¼	1.70¼	1.64

PROVISIONS.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Lard—					
Jan.	23.40	23.20	23.32	23.40	23.80
May	24.20	23.95	24.10	24.20	24.00
Ribs—					
Jan.	18.77	18.72	18.77	18.75	27.00
May	19.20	10.00	19.20	19.22	23.72
Pork—					
Jan.	37.90	37.50	37.90	..	47.00
May	37.15	36.85	37.15	36.75	43.00

COTTONSEED OIL.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Closing Bid.
Spot	....	....	....	21.00
Dec.	....	....	....	21.00
Jan.	21.60	21.40	21.42	21.40
Feb.	21.50	21.44	21.44	21.35
March	21.80	21.52	21.75	21.72
April	21.65	21.65	21.65	21.50
May	21.80	21.65	21.78	21.78
June	....	....	....	21.65
July	21.88	21.72	21.84	21.83

COFFEE.

Range of prices.	High.	Low	Close.	Prev. Close.
March	15.15	15.14	15.15	15.09
May	15.30	15.55	15.25	15.25
July	15.55	15.45	15.45	15.45
Sept.	15.30	15.30	15.30	15.30

BUTTER AND EGG MARKET.

BUTTER—Receipts yesterday, 5,404 packages. Market decidedly lower on the top grades of fresh creamery, due to some increase in the supply and more conservative buying. At the lower rates quoted feeling is still unsettled. Medium qualities shared somewhat in the weakness, but the range of values is much narrower than heretofore. Renovated ladles and packing stock are also ½@1c lower. Creamery, higher than extras, a pound, 70¾@71c; ex ras, 92 score, 70c; firsts, 90 to 91 score, 64½@ 69c; firsts, 88 to 89 score, 61½@64c; seconds, 83 to 87 scores, 56@60c; lower grades, 536@55c; held, higher than extras, 69c; extras, 67½@68c; firsts, 60½@65½c; seconds, 59@60c; unsalted, higher than extras, 73@74c; extras, 71½@ 72½c; firsts, 69@70c; seconds, 58@62c; State dairy tubs, fines, 68@69c; good to prime, 62@67c; common to fair, 52@61c; renovated, extras, 58@58½c; firsts, 56@57c; imitation creamery, firsts, 53@54c; ladles, current make, firsts, 51½@52c; seconds, 50c; lower grades, 48@49c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 48½@49c; No. 2, 48c; lower grades, 45@47c.

EGGS—6,116 cases. The market shows a further sharp decline in fresh-gathered eggs. Trade continues limited to urgent needs, there is some increase in the offerings, weather conditions are mild and favorable to production in many sections, and receivers are indisposed to carry surplus except on safer prices. At the reduction quoted offerings are ample for all present demands and the market is unsettled and without evidences of stability. Storage eggs of high quality are fairly well sustained, but on average good lots the tone is perhaps slightly in buyers' favor, although most holders still report a fair movement and there is little change in the range of prices. White eggs show a decline corresponding with the general market, but most of the fancy Petaluma goods are now held off the market and few of them can be bought at the reduction quoted. Fresh-gathered, extras, a dozen, 72@73c; extra firsts, 70@71c; firsts, 67@ 69c; seconds and poorer, 60@66c; dirties, No. 1, 56@57c; checks, good to choice, dry, 46@47c; refrigerator, special marks, fancy, charges paid, 54@56c; firsts, 52@53½c; seconds, 49@51c; under grades, 36@45c; sterilized, 55@60c; dirties, 28@34c; checks, 30@ 33c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby, Western, hennery whites, extras, 80c; firsts to extra firsts, 75@77c; under grades, 70@74c; gathered whites, common to choice, 70@77c; pullets, 67@70c; Pacific Coast, whites, express, extra firsts to extras, 78@80c; firsts, 76@77c; other Western and Southern, gathered whites, 68@75c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby, hennery browns, fancy, 74@ 76c; gathered brown and mixed colors, graded, fancy, 72@73c; fair to choice, 68 @71c.

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Tonopah Ext.	2.20	Horseshoe	.05
Tonopah, '76	.10	Hull City	.04
West End	1.65	Jims	.08
West Tonopah	.06	Junior	.03
DIVIDE.		Kernick	.10
Allied	.02	Keystone	.04
Alto	.08	Knox	.10
Annex	.02	Mohawk	.05
Apex	.05	Myra	.10
Argentine	.02	North Divide	.03
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Brougher	.36	Revert	.21
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Cresson	2½	2¾	Isabella	3¾	4½
Dr. J'got	2¾	3¼	Portland	85	90
Elkton	7¾	7¾	M. McKin'y	3¾	5¼
El Paso	17	19	U. Gold M.	17½	18
Golden C.	130	141	Vindicator	80	88
Granite	10	13	Rose N.	7½	8

FRAME HIGHER RAIL RATES.

French Cabinet Backs Bill to Overcome Big Deficit.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—The Cabinet today approved a bill for introduction in the Chamber of Deputies providing for temporary increases in both passenger and freight rates with the object of reaching an equilibrium in 1920 between receipts and expenditures affecting the railroad systems and meeting a deficit which amounts to more than 2,000,000,000 francs.

It was stated that the fresh increases would be added to the advance of 25 per cent. in 1918, but would be reckoned on the basis of fares in force before the 1918 increase was effective.

The new increases contemplated in the bill amount to 45 per cent. for third-class passengers, 50 per cent. for second class, 55 per cent. for first class and 115 per cent. for merchandise.

Demand will be made by the Government, it was stated, that the law be passed before the end of the year.

STRIKE PICKET SENTENCED.

19-Year-Old Boy Alleged to Have Struck Guard and Forewoman.

Following his arraignment on a charge of disorderly conduct, Michael Rosen, 19 years old, of 117 East 109th Street, a picket during the recent milliners' strike, was sentenced yesterday by Magistrate Joseph E. Corrigan in Jefferson Market Court to serve three months in the workhouse.

The complaint of Edward A. Manning of Horatio Street alleged that on Dec. 15, as he was leaving the Columbia Hat Works, at 588 Broadway, where he was employed as a guard during the strike, he was approached by Rosen, who struck him over the head. He said Rosen then struck a woman employed as forewoman in the factory.

SUGAR HOARDER FINED.

Judge Turns 31,000 Pounds Over to Milwaukee Committee.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 23.—Judge A. W. Sanborn today ordered 31,000 pounds of sugar, seized last week from M. Leach, Beloit, confiscated and turned over to the State Fair Price Committee. Leach was fined $100 and costs. He was charged with hoarding under the Lever act. He will receive 11.32 cents a pound for the sugar, which, it is claimed, he paid for it.

United States District Attorney Wolfe has libeled 400,000 pounds of sugar owned by a manufacturer of infants' food at Reedsburg.

SHORT TERM NOTES.

Security.	Rate.	Date.	Bid.	Ask.	Yield.
Argen. Gov.	6	May 15,'20	98⅝	99⅜	7.30
Dom. of Can.	5	Aug., 1921	98¼	98⅜	6.40
Dom. of Can.	5s	Aug., 1920	93½	94	6.35
Norway Gov.	6	Feb., 1923	98¼	98½	6.55
Rus. Gov. rub.	5½	Feb.15,'26	21	23	..
Rus. Gov.	5½	Dec., 1921	21	23	..
Swedish Gov.	6	June15,'39	88½	90	6.95
Swiss Gov.	5	Mar., 1920	99⅝	99⅞	5.25
War F. Corp.	5	Apr., 1920	99⅞	100⅛	4.63

Company Issues.

Am. Cot. Oil.	6	Sep. 2, '24	97⅝	98⅛	6.45
A. T. & T.	6	Feb., 1924	95⅝	96	..
Am. Thread.	6	Dec.19,'28	99	101	5.85
Am. Tob. Co.	7	Nov., 1920	100¼	101	5.85
Am. Tob. Co.	7	Nov., 1921	100⅝	101½	6.20
Am. Tob. Co.	7	Nov., 1922	101¼	102	6.25
Am. Tob. Co.	7	Nov., 1923	101⅝	102½	6.30
Beth. S. Corp.	7	July15,'22	100¾	100⅝	6.65
Beth. S. Corp.	7	July15,'23	100¾	100⅝	6.75
Can. North.	6	Feb., 1922	97	98½	6.75
Can. North.	6	Aug., 1924	97	98½	6.40
Can. Pac. R.	6	Mar.2,'24	96⅞	97⅜	6.70
C. Argen. Ry.	6	Feb., 1927	81	84	8.90
Chi., B. & Q.	5	July19,'21	94½	95	7.55
Chi. Pn. Tool.	6	Oct., 1920	99⅝	100⅛	5.40
Chi. Pn. Tool.	6	Oct., 1921	99½	100	6.00
Cub.-A. Sug.	6	Jan., 1921	100	100½	5.45
Cudahy P. Co.	7	July15,'22	100¾	101	6.65
Del. & Hud.	5	Aug., 1920	98	99	6.50
Fed. Sug. R.	5	Jan., 1920	97¼	98	6.45
Int. R. T.	7	Sep., 1921	70½	72	..
Laclede G. Co.	7	Jan., 1929	97	98½	7.25
N. Y. Cent.	6	Sep., 1920	99¼	99⅝	6.20
Phila. Co.	4½	Feb., 1922	94	95½	8.50
Penn. Co.	4½	June15,'21	97⅛	97⅜	6.20
Proc. & Gam.	7	Mar., 1920	100	100⅛	4.15
Proc. & Gam.	7	Mar., 1921	101	101⅛	5.70
Proc. & Gam.	7	Mar., 1922	102	102⅜	5.80
Proc. & Gam.	7	Mar., 1923	103	103⅜	5.80
Pub. S. Corp.	7	May, 1922	82	84	..
R. J. Reynolds Tobacco	6	Aug., 1922	99⅜	99⅝	6.10
Southern Ry.		May, 1922	92⅛	94	9.60
Stude. Corp.	7	Jan., 1921	100	102	..
Swift & Co.	6	Aug.15,'21	99⅜	99⅝	6.15
Utah S. Corp.	6	Sep.15,'22	86	87½	11.00
West. E. & M.	6	Feb.19,'20	100	100¼	3.25

DECLARED DIVIDENDS.

Company.	Rate.	Period.	Payable.	Hold's of Record.
Abitibi Pow. & Pap.	4½	..	Jan. 15	Jan. 3
Anaconda Cop.	$1	Q	Feb. 24	Feb. 1
Can. Car & F. pf.	1¾	Q	Jan. 10	Dec. 26
Cent. Leather	1¾	Q	Feb. 2	Jan. 9
Cent. Leather	$2	Ex	Feb. 2	Jan. 9
Chi. Pneu. Tool	2	Q	Jan. 26	Jan. 15
E. W. Bliss	62½c	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 24
E. W. Bliss	$5	Ex	Jan. 2	Dec. 24
E. W. Bliss pf.	$1	Q	Jan. 2	Dec. 24
Ind. Pipe Line	$2	Q	Feb. 14	Jan. 24
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Mariand Refining	2½	Q	Jan. 15	Dec. 31
Monon Valley Tr pf.	37½c	Q	Jan. 7	Dec. 31
N. Y. Dock	2½	—	Feb. 16	Feb. 6
Submarine Signal	50c	—	Dec. 31	Dec. 23
U. S. Smelt. R. & M.	$1.50	Q	Jan. 15	Jan. 2
Do pf	87½c	Q	Jan. 15	Jan. 2
Westinghouse E. & M.	2	Q	Jan. 31	Jan. 2
Dr pf	2	Q	Jan. 15	Jan. 2

EARNINGS.

AMERICAN POWER & LIGHT CO., operating subsidiaries, inter-company items eliminated—

	1919.	1918.	Increase.
October gross	$1,442,356	$1,205,192	$237,164
Net after tax	528,998	425,318	103,680
12 mos. gross	15,589,688	13,234,901	2,345,787
Net after tax	5,790,108	5,092,055	698,053

EQUIPMENT BONDS.

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

Name.	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Ask.
Balt. & Ohio	1919-'23	4½	6.25	5.90
Buff., Roch. & P.	1919-'33	4½@5-6	6.00	5.70
Canadian North	1919-'20	4½@5-6	6.75	6.12
Canadian Pacific	1919-'28	4½	6.25	5.75
Ches. & Ohio	1919-'27	4½	6.25	5.90
Chicago & N. W.	1919-'23	4½	5.87	5.40
C., R. I. & P.	1919-'27	4½@5	6.62	6.00
C., St. L. & N. O.	1919-'24	5	6.00	5.50
Chickasaw Ref.	1919-'21	6	7.50	6.75
C., C., C. & St. L.	1919-'29	5 @6	6.12	5.80
Del. & Hudson	1922	4½	5.90	5.60
Erie Railroad	1919-'27	4½@5	6.70	6.10
Illinois Central	1919-'27	4½@5	5.90	5.50
Louis. & Nash.	1919-'23	5	5.85	5.50
Michigan Central	1919-'32	5 @6	6.10	5.80
Minn. & St. L.	1919-'27	5 @6	6.75	6.00
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	1919-'24	5	7.00	6.00
Missouri Pacific	1919-'24	5	7.00	6.00
Mobile & Ohio	1919-'26	4½@5	6.50	6.00
N. Y. Cent. Lines	1919-'28	4½@5	6.10	5.85
N. Y. Cent. R. R.	1919-'32	4½	6.25	5.90
Norfolk & West.	1919-'24	4½	5.85	5.40
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1919-'29	4½@5-6	6.75	6.00
Penn. Gen. F'ight.	1919-'23	4 @4½	5.75	5.40
Reading Co.	1919-'27	4½	5.90	5.50
Seaboard Air L.	1919-'27	4½@5-6	7.00	6.00
Sinclair Refining	1919-'21	6	7.00	6.25
Southern Pacific	1919-'24	4½	5.90	5.50
Southern Railway	1919-'26	4½@5	6.50	5.85
Union Tank	1919-'20	5	6.75	6.00

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DULL SPELL RULES IN COTTON MARKET

Listlessness Increases Over Previous Day, with Little Trading to Break Monotony.

SMALL RANGE IN PRICES

Maximum Gains for the Day 25 to 40 Points—Export Movement Dwindles.

Yesterday's cotton market was even duller and less interesting, if that were possible, than the session of the day before. Traders who attended were content to stand around, with only an occasional trade to break the monotony of the day. In speculative circles there was a little buying, and because of the extreme dullness this sufficed to send prices up 25 to 40 points at the day's maximum. However, the day's range of prices was narrower than on any previous day in months past, the extreme being 42 points in the March option, with most of the others held inside of a range of 30 points.

The better tone in the foreign exchange market and some encouraging reports from Southern spot markets inspired what little buying there was. This was of more or less listless character, and only the fact that there was no selling of consequence allowed it to influence the price movement. The rest of the trading was of the evening-up sort, with out-of-town markets and Liverpool contributing a little.

The fact that the New York market will be the only futures market open from Friday until next Monday may make for some activity after tomorrow's holiday, for all events of interest to the cotton trade will have to find reflection here, as both New Orleans and Liverpool will be closed until Monday morning.

The export movement dwindled considerably yesterday, clearances totaling only 12,679 bales, of which 2,000 went to Great Britain and 10,679 bales went to the Continent. Arrivals at Liverpool yesterday included 27,000 bales of American cotton.

Yesterday's quotations follow:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close	Previous Day.
Dec.	38.50	38.55	38.20	38.40@38.50	38.80
Jan.	36.98	37.15	36.88	37.14@37.15	36.88
March	34.65	34.98	34.56	34.94@34.95	34.57
May	32.65	32.78	32.50	32.72@32.75	32.48
July	30.93	31.03	30.80	30.90	30.75
Sept.	.....	.....	.....	28.80	28.75
Oct.	28.27	28.42	28.15	28.16@28.18	28.10

The local market for spot cotton was steady, unchanged, at 39.25c for middling upland; sales, 300 bales.

Southern spot markets were: Galveston, 41.75c; New Orleans, 40c; Savannah, 39c; Augusta, 38.50c; Memphis, 40c; Houston, 41c; Little Rock, 40c.

Yesterday's cotton statistics were:

	Yesterday.	Last Wk.	Last Yr.
Port receipts...	41,804	41,838	30,856
Exports	12,679	.....	6,637
Exports, season	3,819,411	3,985,415	3,710,791
New York stocks	71,120	62,762	131,264
Port stocks.....	1,003,249	1,044,426	1,237,722
N. Y. arrivals..	1,443	3,983	.....

Liverpool cables: Spot cotton was quiet at 26.34d for middling. Sales, 4,000 bales, of which American 3,000. Imports, 31,000 bales, of which 27,000 American. Futures opened quiet, 2 to 9 points decline, and closed steady, 22 points up to 2 points off on the day. Prices December, 25.50d; January, 24.69d; March, 23.81d; May, 21.99d.

Manchester: Yarns were firm and cloths were in good demand.

Mercantile Warehouses Sold.

The Independent Warehouses, Inc., recently inaugurated by the Guaranty Trust Company and the Liberty National Bank, has added to its holdings by acquiring the chain of warehouses formerly operated by the Mercantile Warehouse Company. The transaction involved about $3,000,000, and gives the Independent Warehouses about 325,000 additional square feet of space. This company now has a total of twelve warehouses in operation in the metropolitan district.

METAL MARKET REPORT.

These prices were quoted on the local Metal Exchange yesterday:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Friday. Bid.	Asked.
Lead	7.50	7.50	7.55	7.45
Spelter	....	8.90	....	8.90
Antimony	9.50	9.75	9.50	9.75
Quicksilver	....	$85.00	....	$100.00
Aluminium	*82.00	88.00	*82.00	88.00
Iron, No. 2X silicon	....	42.80	....	42.80

*Nominal.

Electrolytic copper was quoted in the open market at 18¼c, 30 days; on Metal Exchange 18⅛@18¼, for spot.

London quotations were:

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Copper, spot.....	104	5	0	104	0	0
Copper, futures.....	106	15	0	106	5	0
Tin, spot.....	324	5	0	325	5	0
Tin, futures.....	326	15	0	326	15	0
Spelter, spot.....	54	5	0	53	15	0
Spelter, futures....	55	0	0	54	10	0
Lead, spot.....	44	0	0	43	15	0
Lead, futures.....	44	5	0	44	2	6

BOSTON CURB.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Black H...	95	97	Majestic ...	17	21
Bohemia....	1⅛	1⅜	Mex Met....	4	5
Bost Mon..	71	72	Midway M.	68	72
Calaveras..	1⅛	1¼	Mojave T..	5	8
Champion..	1	3	Monarch ..	97	99
Chief Cons.	4⅜	5	Nat L. & Z.	5	9
Con Cop....	5	5⅛	Nev Doug..	13	14
Crown R...	50	50	New Baltic	2¾	3
Denbigh ...	35	42	Nixon	20	22
Eagle B B.	2⅛	2¼	Onondaga..	15	20
Fortuna ...	1	3	Pilgrim....	50	55
Gadsden...	2¼	2½	Pioneer ..	1	1⅛
Homa	15	17	Ranger P..	25	75
Houghton..	60	75	Rainier ...	1⅞	1⅞
Iron Blos..	25	40	Seven Met..	27	32
Iron Cap...	9	10	Texana	55	58
La Rose...	30	40	U V Ext...	38½	39
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Fruisen Realty Corp., Manhattan, $5,000; F. Fruisen, D. and P. Morris, 27 Catherine St.

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Dilgham Realty Co., Manhattan, $20,000; M. B. Goldnicl, A. A. and C. H. J. Dilg, 700 Riverside Drive.

The Furniture Mfg. Corp., Jamestown, $100,000; S. O. and G. A. Merriman, P. H. Garrity, Jamestown.

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Public Utilities Reports, Inc., Manhattan, 250 shares common stock, no par value; active capital, $25,000; L. D. H. Gilmore, B. Flexner, O. D. Young, 120 Broadway.

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Beau Technique Francaise, Inc., Manhattan, machinery and tools, $200,000; I. M. Prokofieff, J. L. Bonnet, G. U. Martinet, 930 West End Av.

Atlantic Motor Hauling Co., Brooklyn, trucking and storage, $5,000; G. Meil, B. Shultz, Y. Sieder, 377A Atlantic Av., Brooklyn.

Magenta Realty Corp., Bronx, $5,000; W. F. Hughes, A. Schwerin, A. S. White, 3,367 White Plains Av.

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National Surety Co., Manhattan, $4,000,000 to $5,000,000.

Hudson Furniture Co., Manhattan, $6,000 to $12,000.

New York Bond and Funding Syndicate, Inc., Manhattan, $1,000 to $100,000.

Pomeroy Co., Manhattan, $58,000 to $175,000.

The Hinz & Harrison Plush Co., Clarks Mills, $1,000,000 to $2,000,000.

Beck & Conbain, Inc., Manhattan, $30,000 to $60,000.

American National Shoe and Leather Corp., Manhattan, $10,000 to $50,000.

CAPITAL REDUCTIONS.

Chase Motor Truck Co., Syracuse, $300,000 to $28,000.

REORGANIZATIONS.

The Will & Baumer Co., Syracuse, 16,000 shares preferred stock, $100 each, 100,000 shares common stock, no par value; active capital, $2,100,000.

Brooklyn Bridge Freezing and Cold Storage Co. of New York, Manhattan, 30,000 shares common stock, no par value; active capital, $150,000.

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Deccan Trading Co. of Bombay, Manhattan, to Deccan Trading Co.

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Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 23.—Larson Realty Corp., Clifton, deal in real estate, $50,000; J. G. Larson, E. H. Larson, A. E. Larson, all of Clifton.

Howard Motor Co., Jersey City, deal in vehicles of various kinds, $125,000; Charles A. Rooney, Emanuel Wurts, Jeannette Kirkland, all of Jersey City.

Chrystolite Mfg. Co., Union Hill, deal in electric generators, &c., $125,000; L. C. Kahle, R. V. Warman, J. T. Simon, all of Union Hill.

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Livingston Petroleum Corp., $100,000,000; T. L. Croteau, H. E. Knox, S. E. Dill of Wilmington.

McClure's Magazines, Inc., $19,105,000; Robert K. Thistle, George V. Reilly, Harry C. Hand, all of New York.

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Andresen Rubber and Mfg. Co. automobile, tires and accessories, $1,200,000; Charles Andresen, Chicago; W. D. Walsh, Clayton, Mo.; Frank Wingfield, St. Louis, Mo.

The Gulberson Corp., general manufacturing business, $1,000,000; S. A. Gulberson, Los Angeles, Cal.; W. H. Gulbergson, Tulsa, Okla.; R. S. Hapstetine, Dallas, Texas.

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The Leoffler Food Products Co., $200,000; W. I. N. Lofland, Mark W. Cole, Frank Jackson of Dover.

Allentown Cable and Machine Co., automobiles and engine parts, &c., $150,000; Albert S. George, Philadelphia; Arthur J. Frankenfield, Oscar G. Tillman, all of Allentown, Pa.

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Chuckwald Oil Development Co., $150,000; J. D. Reavens, J. S. Scott, W. A. Lloyd, all of Birmingham, Ala.

Sidney Oil Co., $100,000; W. F. O'Keefe, George G. Steigler, E. E. Aberle of Wilmington.

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Mortgage Loan Guaranty Co. of America, $50,000; T. L. Croteau, H. E. Knox, S. E. Dill of Wilmington.

INCREASES IN CAPITAL.

The Locomobile Co. of Wilmington, Del., from $5,000 to $50,000,000.

Miller Hotel Co., Davenport, Iowa, from $2,000,000 to $3,000,000.

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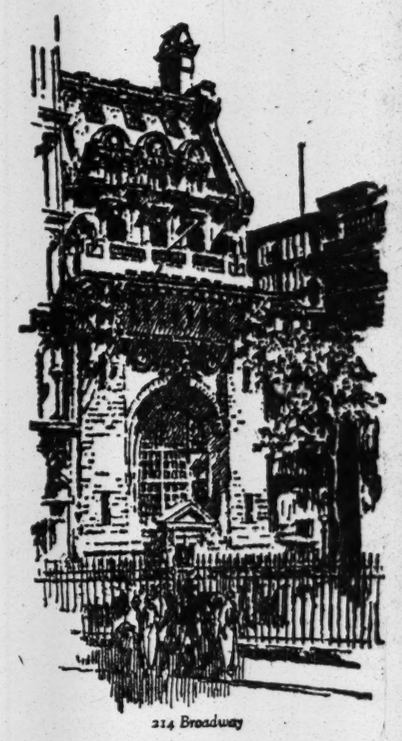

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NOVEMBER 29, 1919

LIABILITIES

Capital Paid up	$17,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	17,000,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,104,621.82
Dividend No. 129, payable December 1, 1919	505,219.12
Fiftieth Anniversary Bonus of 2%, payable December 20, 1919	340,000.00
Notes in Circulation	39,337,265.74
Deposits	433,121,399.87
Due to other Banks	7,463,823.30
Bills payable (Acceptances by London Branch)	806,776.89
Acceptances under Letters of Credit	16,467,978.69
	$533,647,084.93

ASSETS

Cash on Hand and in Banks	$101,021,464.54
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves	24,500,000.00
Government and Municipal Securities	78,724,141.43
Railway and Other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	19,414,891.06
Call Loans in Canada	16,435,614.30
Call Loans elsewhere than in Canada	33,812,751.58
	$273,908,862.86
Loans and Discounts	$233,834,879.46
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit as per contra	16,467,978.69
Bank Premises	7,016,444.12
Real Estate other than Bank Premises	1,495,271.00
Deposit with Dominion Government for Security of Note Circulation	750,000.00
Other Assets not included in the foregoing	173,648.80
	$533,647,084.93

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th November, 1918	$ 535,757.19	
Profits for the year, after deducting charges of management and all other expenses, accrued interest on deposits, full provision for all bad and doubtful debts and rebate of interest on unmatured bills	3,423,264.84	
		$ 3,959,021.53
APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS:		
Dividends Nos. 126, 127, 128 and 129 at 12 per cent. per annum	$ 1,866,196.50	
Fiftieth Anniversary Bonus of 2 per cent. to Shareholders	340,000.00	
Transferred to Officers' Pension Fund	100,000.00	
Written off Bank Premises Account	400,000.00	
War Tax on Bank Note Circulation	156,406.29	
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	1,096,418.74	
		$ 3,959,021.53

RESERVE FUND

Balance at Credit, 30th November, 1918	$15,000,000.00
Premium on New Capital Stock	2,000,000.00
Balance at Credit 29th November, 1919	$17,000,000.00

H. S. HOLT, President. EDSON L. PEASE, Managing Director. C. E. NEILL, General Manager.

Montreal, Canada, 18th December, 1919.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We Report to the Shareholders of The Royal Bank of Canada:

That in our opinion the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank.

That we have checked the cash and verified the securities of the Bank at the Chief Office at 30th November, 1919, as well as at another time, as required by Section 56 of the Bank Act and that we found they agreed with the entries in the books in regard thereto. We also during the year checked the cash and verified the securities at the principal branches.

That the above Balance Sheet has been compared by us with the books at the Chief Office and with the certified returns from the Branches, and in our opinion is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the Bank.

That we have obtained all the information and explanations required by us.

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BONUS BASED ON PRICES.

Irving National Bank Adopts Definite Plan for Extra Compensation.

The Irving National Bank, it was announced yesterday, has adopted a plan for extra compensation for its clerks based on the fluctuations in Bradstreet's index number of commodity prices. The bonus for the current quarter, which was made public yesterday, amounts to 36¾ per cent. of all salaries, as against 34½ per cent. declared for the previous quarter and 25 per cent. for the April-June quarter.

The United States Rubber Company, through Samuel P. Colt, Chairman of the board, and C. B. Seger, President, announced yesterday that a bonus of 10 per cent. was to be distributed to all salaried officers and employes receiving not over $2,000 a year and 10 per cent. on $2,000 to all receiving more than that amount of annual compensation. About 7,500 individuals will participate in this distribution.

PUBLIC UTILITIES

Sales.		High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
980	Cities Service	410	404	405	415
2,780	Cities Service pf	71¾	71	71½	72½
3,391	Cities Service bk. shares	42¾	42	42	43
4,459	Cities Service pf. B	7½	7¼	7¼	7¾
$73,000	Cities Service deb. C	103	102	102	103
51,200	Cities Service deb. B	152	152	152	...

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Adiron Electric Power	15	17	Federal Light & Trac	7	10
Adiron Elec Power pf	77	81	Federal Lt & Trac pf	41	43
Am Gas & Electric	118	123	Galveston-Houston Elec	9½	11
Am Gas & Elec pf	39½	40½	Galveston-Hous Elec pf	..	55
Am Light & Traction	179	183	Miss River Power	9	11
Am Light & Trac pf	91	94	Miss River Power pf	49¼	52½
Am Power & Light	63	67	Northern Ohio Electric	..	20
Am Power & Light pf	73	77	Northern Ohio Elec pf	55	60
Am Public Utilities	8	12	Northern States Power	62	66
Am Public Utilities pf	20	24	North States Power pf	89	91
Am W W & Electric	1	5	Northern Texas Elec	69	72
Am W W & Elec 1st pf	35	45	Northern Tex Elec pf	67	72
Am W W & Elec partic	4	8	Pacific Gas & Elec pf	86½	87½
Appalachian Power	3	6	Puget Sd Trac, Lt & P	8	11
Appalachian Power pf	22	27	Puget Sd Tr, Lt & P pf	48	52
Carolina Power & L	33	35	Ry & Light Security pf	78	83
Colorado Power	13	16	Republic Ry & Light	11	14
Colorado Power pf	90	95	Republic Ry & Lt pf	41	44
Columbus Elec pf	..	75	Southern Cal Edison	86½	88
Com Power, Ry & L	18	21	Southern Cal Edison pf	100	104
Com Pow, Ry & Lt pf	38	44	Standard Gas & Elec	27	28
Conn Power pf	78	83	Standard Gas & Elec pf	40¾	42
Consumers' Power pf	79	83½	Tampa Electric	105	110
Eastern Texas Elec	63	67	Tenn Ry, Lt & Power	2	3
Eastern Texas Elec pf	..	78	Tenn Ry, Lt & Pow pf	5½	6½
El Paso Electric	..	80	United Light & Rys	..	35
Electric B & S pf	90	94	United Light & Rys pf	..	68
Empire Dist Elec pf	70	75	Western Power	20	22
Empire Gas & Fuel pf	91	93	Western Power pf	72	73¼
Bonds.					
Appalach Power 1st 5s	67	70½	Midwest Util 6s, '25	88	92
Arkansas Valley 7s, '29	97½	99	Miss River Pow 1st 5s	75	77½
Cin Gas & Elec 5s, '56	85	90	Nor States Pow 6s, '26	88	92
Col G & E deb 5s, '27	75	80	Nor States Pow 5s, '41	81	83
Col Power 5s, '53	81	84	Om & C El Ry 5s, '28	76	79
Con Power 5s, '63	85	90	Pac Gas & Elec 5s, '42	82	83
Dallas Elec 5s, '22	100	..	Puget Sd Tr, L & P 7s	96	98
East Tex Elec 5s, '42	73	78	Un L & H 1st 5s, '32	74	77
East Tex Elec 7s, '21	98½	100	Un L & H deb 6s, '28	85	89
El Paso Elec col 5s	85	88	Utah Securities 6s	86	88
Empire Gas & El 6s, '24	91	93	West St G & E 5s	82	86

NEW YORK CITY BONDS

	Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.		Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.
4¼s July, 1967	98½	99¾	98¼	3½s Nov., 1953	81½	83½	81½
4¼s June, 1965	98½	99¾	98¼	3½s May, 1954	81½	83½	81½
4¼s Mar., 1963	98½	99¾	98¼	3½s Nov., 1955	81½	83½	81½
4¼s Nov., 1957	98½	99¾	99¼	4½s 1924-1932	98	..	98
4¼s May, 1957	98½	99¾	98½	4½s 1919-1923	98	..	98
4¼s April, 1966	93	95	93	The following are quoted on a percentage basis:			
4¼s Mar., 1964	93	95	93	4½s 1924-1931	4.65	4.45	4.65
4¼s Mar., 1962	93	95	93	4½s 1920-1923	4.65	4.45	4.65
4¼s Sept., 1960	93	95	93	3½s 1940-1953	4.65	4.42	4.65
4¼s Mar., 1960-30	93	95	93	3½s 1930-1939	4.65	4.45	4.65
4s May, 1959	89	91	89	3½s 1922-1929	4.65	4.45	4.65
4s Nov., 1958	89	91	89	3½s 1919-1921	4.65	4.45	4.65
4s May, 1957	89	91	89	3s 1940-1953	4.65	4.45	4.65
4s Nov., 1956	89	91	89	3s 1926-1930	4.65	4.45	4.65
4s Nov., 1955	89	91	89	3s 1919-1925	4.70	4.45	4.70
4s Nov., 1936	92	94	92				

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
110	Am B Sug	92⅞	92⅞	92⅞	110	Loft, Inc	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛
640	Am Can	53⅝	52⅞	53⅛	270	Max Motor	33⅜	32⅞	32⅞
150	Am C & F	138⅜	138⅜	138⅜	1,670	Mex Petrol	217½	218½	216⅝
110	Am Cot Oil	47½	47½	47½	120	Mid St Oil	61⅛	61⅛	61⅛
140	Am Drug	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	150	Miami Cop	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
110	Am H & L	24½	24½	24½	702	Midvale Steel	49	48½	48½
110	Do pf	115¼	115¼	115¼	500	N Y Cent	69¼	68⅞	69⅛
1,665	Am Internat	112	109⅞	111¼	550	NY NH & H	27⅜	26⅞	27
240	Am Linseed	[illegible]	70¼	70½	150	Norf & West	98	98	98
1,270	Am Loco	98⅜	96¼	98	420	North Pac	80¼	80	80
1,335	Am S & C	28	27½	27⅝	1,440	Ohio C Gas	44⅜	43¼	44¼
1,360	Am S & R	67⅝	65⅝	66	600	Okla P & R	9¼	9	9
330	Am Stl Fds	44⅜	44¼	44¼	800	Pan-AmT&T	105	103⅝	103⅝
900	Am Su Tob	98	95⅞	96½	487	Pennsylvania	40⅜	40	40
110	Am T & T	98	97⅞	97⅞	220	Pere Marq	28⅝	28½	28½
240	Am Tob Sec	68¼	67½	68¼	130	People's Gas	34¼	34	34
1,460	Anacon Cop	58⅜	56⅞	58¼	230	Phila Co	36⅜	36	36⅜
110	Assets Real	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	130	Pierce-A	76	74⅜	75½
240	A, T & S F	83⅜	82¼	82⅜	120	Pierce Oil	19¼	19¼	19¼
110	A, G & W I	171⅜	171⅜	171⅜	250	Pressed S C	99⅝	99	99⅝
5,000	Bald Loco	109¼	107⅛	109¼	460	Reading	77¼	76½	76⅞
340	Balt & Ohio	32⅛	32	32	2,470	Rep I & S	112	110⅞	112
660	Beth St'l B	93⅝	93	93⅝	540	Royal D	97⅝	97	97½
110	Booth Fish	12½	12½	12½	150	St Jos Lead	13¼	13¼	13¼
150	B'klyn R T	12⅜	12½	12½	110	St L-S F	17½	17½	17½
120	Cal Petrol	42⅜	41⅝	41⅜	210	Saxon Motor	14	14	14
420	Cal Packing	82⅛	81⅜	82⅛	120	Shell Transp	76⅞	76½	76½
570	Cen Leather	95⅛	94¼	94⅞	1,780	Sinclair Oil	43	42¼	43
220	Cerro de P	55⅜	55⅜	55⅜	1,200	South Pac	102⅝	102	102⅝
340	Ches & Ohio	55⅝	54⅝	54⅝	1,840	Studebaker	104⅝	102¼	103½
530	C, M & St P	38¾	37	37	610	Texas & Pac	42¾	41⅜	42¼
830	Do pf	53½	52⅞	52⅞	570	Tobacco P	92	91⅝	91⅞
410	Chino Copper	35⅜	35⅜	35⅜	1,480	Transcon Oil	38⅜	37	37½
110	Col Fuel	40	40	40	240	Union Oil	37¼	36½	36⅝
110	Columb Gas	60⅞	60⅞	60⅞	410	Union Pac	122⅝	122	122½
110	Col Graph	58¼	58¼	58¼	1,194	Un Retail S	91⅜	90½	91¼
120	Con Gas	83½	83½	83½	1,070	U S Ind Alc	110⅜	108⅝	108⅝
200	Cont Candy	13	12⅞	13	100	U S Food P	77¼	77¼	77¼
350	Corn Prod	84	82¾	82¾	1,360	U S Rubber	124⅜	123¼	124
330	Crucible St'l	208¾	208	108	10,420	U S Steel	104⅜	103⅝	104¼
265	Cuba Cane S	50	49¼	49⅝	220	Utah Cop	72⅝	72⅝	72⅝
1,210	D & R G pf	13⅞	13½	13⅞	105	Un Rys Inv	11	11	11
470	Erie	13⅜	13	13¼	110	Vanadium	56½	56½	56½
120	Do 1st pf	20¼	20¼	20¼	30	Wabash	8	8	8
550	Fisk Tire	40⅝	40½	40½	110	Do pf A	23¼	22¾	22¾
275	Free Texas	35⅜	34¾	34¾	100	Do pf B	15¼	15¼	15¼
310	Gas W & W	18⅛	17⅞	17⅞	510	White Motor	59⅛	58⅝	59⅛
120	Goodrich Co	79⅝	79¼	79⅝	570	Willys-Over	28	27⅞	27⅞
160	Gt Nor pf	78¼	77¼	77¼		UNITED STATES GOV. BONDS.			
813	Inspira Cop	53½	51⅞	52⅝	1,800	Lib 3½s	99.12	99.06	99.10
640	Int Mer Ma	48¼	48	48	700	2d 4s	91.76	91.76	91.76
660	Do pf	107⅞	107	107	1,600	1st 4¼s	93.32	93.32	93.32
480	Int Paper	75½	74¼	75¼	2,250	2d 4¼s	91.84	91.56	91.56
100	Inter Con pf	11	11	11	8,900	3d 4¼s	94.59	94.50	94.52
253	Kenne Cop	28⅝	28⅜	28⅝	4,750	4th 4¼s	92.20	92.06	92.06
120	Key Tire	43¾	43¾	43¾	2,250	Vic 4¾s	98.98	98.94	98.94
250	Lehigh Val	43¼	42⅞	42⅞					

OUT-OF-TOWN EXCHANGES

BALTIMORE.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
300	Atlantic Pet	3¼	3¼	3¼	165	Davison	36	35½	35½
90	Atl Coast L	85	85	85	10	Fidelity D	128	128	128
90	Balt Tube	60	60	60	10	Houston pf	91¾	91¾	91¾
16	Balt Brick	11½	11½	11½	15	Indiahoma	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
3,400	Cosden	9⅛	8⅝	8⅝	85	Vernon Mills	60	60	60
10	Do pf	4½	4½	4½	7	M & M Tr	54½	54½	54½
300	Celestine	4	3.90	3.90	2,690	United Ry	11	10⅝	10⅝
585	Cons Pow c	100¼	99½	99¾	150	W, B & A	20	19⅞	20
330	Cons Coal	80	79	79					
	Bonds.								
$1,000	Cosden 6s B	95¾	95¾	95¾	$2,000	United Ry 4s	65¼	65¼	65¼
21,000	Chi Ry 5s	64	63¾	63¾	12,000	Do fund 5s	62	60	60
34,000	Uni Ry in 4s	45¾	45	45¾					

BOSTON.

Mining.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
5	Ahmeek	67	67	67	200	New Arcadia	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
105	Alaska	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	120	New Corn'a	20	19⅝	19⅝
20	Allouez	33½	33½	33½	20	New Riv pf	80¼	80¼	80¼
35	Anaconda	57½	57½	57½	225	Nipissing	13	13	13
50	Arnold	30	30	30	685	North Butte	16⅞	16½	16⅝
280	Big Heart	7½	7¼	7¼	100	North Lake	85	85	85
100	Calu & Ariz	63	62½	62½	21	Old Domin	35½	35	35½
10	Calu & Hec	387	387	387	175	Seneca	15½	15½	15½
1,150	Carson	32¾	31½	32¾	155	Shannon	1⅞	1⅜	1⅜
28	Chino	35¼	35¼	35¼	50	South Utah	15	15	15
550	Cop Range	44½	44½	44½	110	St Mary's	47	46	47
225	Daly-West	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	175	Super & Bos	4¼	4¼	4¼
98	Davis-Daly	13¼	13	13¼	195	Trinity	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
60	East Butte	14	14	14	410	Tuolumne	95	90	90
200	Franklin	3¼	3	3	25	Union Land	1	1	1
1,580	Helvetia	3⅜	3⅛	3½	70	U S Smelt	75	74½	75
20	Hancock	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	250	Do pf	47½	47	47⅝
70	Isle Royale	32	32	32	150	Utah Apex	2⅛	2⅛	2⅝
180	Kerr Lake	4¼	4¼	4¼	1,060	Utah Con	9⅛	8½	9
50	Lake Copper	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	310	Utah Metals	2½	2⅜	2½
305	Mayflow-O C	10	9⅝	9⅝	160	Wolverine	19	18⅝	18⅝
20	Mohawk	62	62	62					
	Railroads.								
656	Bos & Alb	124½	121	122½	1,050	Do pf	13¼	13	13
230	Bos Elev	67½	67	67	70	Norw&W pf	95	95	95
35	Do pf	86	86	86	8	Me Central	62	62	62
112	Boston & Me	36	35	36	170	New Haven	27	26⅜	26⅜
75	Do pf	75	75	75	135	Old Colony	76	73¼	73½
100	Bos Sub Elec	35	35	35	205	West End	44½	43½	44½
960	Mass Elec	5½	5⅜	5⅜	255	Do pf	50	50	50
	Miscellaneous.								
7	Am Agricul	91½	91⅜	91⅜	44	Mex T & T	50	50	50
45	Do pf	96½	96½	96½	710	Mex Inv	52⅝	52	52¼
1,250	Am Oil & E	5¼	5	5	384	Nat Leather	17⅜	17¼	17¼
100	Amoskeag	140	140	140	38	N E T & T	85¼	85¼	85¼
100	Am PneuTire	1	1	1	10	Punta A Sug	91	91	91
100	Do pf	6	6	6	55	Plant pf	98¼	98¼	98¼
38	Am Sug pf	117	117	117	190	Root	53⅝	53⅝	53⅝
1,005	Am T & T	98	97	97¼	580	Simms Mag	17	15⅜	15⅜
30	Am Wool pf	102½	102¼	102½	154	Swift	134	133	133½
100	Bos-Mex Pet	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	323	Swift Int'l	59	58½	58½
325	Eastern Mfg	31½	31	31	30	Torrington	71½	71½	71½
100	Eastern SS	22¾	22¾	22¾	6	UDrug 1st pf	52½	52½	52½
2	Do pf	77	77	77	50	United Fruit	201	200	200
54	Edison	147	146½	147	237	United Shoe	48½	48	48½
60	Elder	36⅜	36½	36½	100	Do pf	25⅞	25⅞	25⅞
100	Fairbanks	81	81	81	2,470	Ventura	16	15⅜	15½
25	Gorton	29½	29½	29½	545	*Waldorf	20	19⅝	20
70	Gray	47½	47½	47½	100	Waltham	34	34	34
7	Libby	29⅞	29½	29⅞	15	Walworth	24	23½	23½
20	*Loew's	10½	10½	10½	25	Warren Bros	69½	69½	69½
230	Mass Gas	73	72	72	200	WhitePineEx	50	50	50
250	Do pf	60½	60¼	60¼					
	Bonds.								
$5,000	A T & T 5s	80¼	79⅞	80¼	$2,000	Mass Gas 4½s	83¼	83¼	83¼
7,000	Gulf 5s	82	82	82	12,000	N E T & T 5s	82	82	82
5,000	C J & S 5s	84	83⅞	83⅞	1,000	Swift 5s	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
5,000	CumbT&T 5s	86	86	86	1,000	West T&T 5s	81	81	81

*Ex dividend.

CHICAGO.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
20	Am Rad	335	335	335	17	K C Rys pf	15	15	15
100	Am S & C	27¾	27⅜	27⅜	195	Lindsay L	8	7½	7½
25	Am Shipbldg	120	120	120	155	Libby-McN	30	29¼	30
24	A D & C pf	95	95	95	600	Mont W w i	41	40¼	40¼
1,200	Armour pf	111	110	110	10	Midw Util pf	42½	42½	42½
290	Booth F pf	79½	74	74	1,200	Nat Leather	17¼	17¼	17¼
90	Briscoe	64	64	64	100	Page Wire	3	3	3
140	Butler Bros	286	275	283	300	Pub Svc pf	90	86	90
712	Chi City Ry	50	50	50	50	People's Gas	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝
700	C C & C Ry	⅛	⅛	½	20	Quak O pf	94	94	94
1,350	Do pf	8½	8¼	8¼	240	Reo Motor	29⅛	28⅞	28⅞
855	Chi El Rys	1	1	1	10	Sears-R pf	117	117	117
50	Chi Pn T rts	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	260	Stewart W	40	39½	39⅝
210	Cudahy	104	104	104	10	Stewart Mfg	48	48	48
370	Com W Ed	108	107	107½	835	Swift Int	59	58⅛	58½
475	Cont M	13⅜	13½	13⅜	630	Swift & Co	134	132½	134
10	Do pf	100	100	100	195	Thompson	49¼	49	49¼
100	Deere pf	100½	100¼	100½	20	Temtor P, A	46	46	46
200	Godchaux	57	56⅜	56⅜	1,165	Un Carbide	74⅜	74¼	74⅜
60	St L D & D	83½	83½	83½	50	Un Paperbd	22½	22½	22½
200	Hupp Motor	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	120	Wahl	44½	43½	44½
250	Hartman	94½	94	94½	20	Wilson pf xd	97¼	97¼	97¼
325	Ill Brick	82	79	82	10	Wrigley	82	82	82
165	J I Case P	21	20½	20⅜					
	Bonds.								
$2,500	Ar 6s, '21	110	110	110	$4,000	ChiRys.SB5s	33⅞	33⅜	33⅜
5,000	Do 6s, 24	109⅜	109¾	109¾	1,000	Swift 1st 5s	94	94	94

DETROIT.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
100	Charcoal Ir	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	100	Mich Sugar	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞
200	Do pf	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	400	Noble O&G	1.75	1.75	1.75
200	Col Sugar	20¼	20¼	20¼	100	Packard	26¼	26¼	26¼
200	Cont Motor	13⅜	13½	13½	300	Reo Motor C	29⅛	29⅛	29⅛
50	Detroit Ed	115	115	115					

PHILADELPHIA.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
25	Alliance Ins	25	25	25	5	Ph Co 5% pf	25	25	25
10	Am Rys pf	57	57	57	63	Do 6% pf	33½	33	33
200	Am Gas	45	45	45	200	Phila Trac	59	59	59
30	Elec Stor	134	134	134	150	Ph R T t c	27½	27	27
100	Gen Asphalt	107	107	107	1,121	Phila Elec	24⅜	24¼	24½
73	Ins Co N A	36	36	36	710	Ton Belmont	2½	2¼	2⅜
100	Key Tel	12½	12½	12½	1,395	Ton Mining	2¼	2 1/16	2 1/16
290	L Sup Corp	20¼	20¼	20¼	1,143	Union Trac	34½	33⅜	33⅜
260	Lehigh Nav	62½	62½	62½	4,409	Un Gas Imp	52	51	51
190	Phila Co	36⅜	35⅜	36⅜	200	York Rys	8	8	8
	Bonds.								
$33,000	E & P Tr 4s	59⅜	59½	59⅜	$12,000	Pa con 4½s	89⅜	89⅜	89⅜
2,000	L V g c 4s	70	70	70	8,000	Pub Ser 5s	58	58	58
2,000	Do 4½s	78½	78	78½	3,000	Phil & Rdg 2d ext 5s	99½	99½	99½
12,000	Do c 4½s	89	89	89	70,000	P El 1st 5s	86½	86	86
5,000	Do 6s, reg	100	100	100	20,000	Rg gen 4s	79½	79	79
5,000	Do 6s cp	100½	100½	100½	10,000	Un Rys Inv col t 5s	70¼	70¼	70¼
5,000	Peo Pas 4s	70	70	70					
22,000	Pa gen 4½s	81½	81	81½					

PITTSBURGH.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
240	Am Vit Prod	16	15	15	90	Ohio F Sup	51½	51¼	51¼
10	Am W G pf	104	104	104	795	Okla Gas	42⅜	41¾	42⅜
2,360	Ark G, new	44½	40½	41	45	Pit Brew pf	14¼	14¼	14¼
40	Do old pf	110	110	110	2,000	Pitts Jerome	17c	16c	17c
10	Barns Corp	46¼	46¼	46¼	1,000	Pitts Mt Sha	49c	49c	49c
175	Carbo-H pf	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	600	Pitts O & G	14	14	14
420	Guf Gil	35¾	35¼	35¼	40	Riv East Oil	4¼	4¼	4¼
100	Ind Brew	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	500	Ross Min	5c	5c	5c
110	Do pf	10	10	10	2,000	San Toy	6c	6c	6c
40	Lone Star G	151	149⅜	151	40	Union Gas	127	127	127
120	Mfrs L & H	58⅜	58⅜	58⅝	100	South Pac	103	103	103
1,610	Marland Ref	6⅛	6⅜	6⅛	565	U S Glass	63	62½	62½
100	Nat Firepro	8¼	8¼	8¼	150	U S Steel	104	104	104
10	Do pf	15	15	15	65	West Air B	113½	113⅜	113⅜
110	Ohio F Oil	31	30	30	300	West P W P	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜

SUGAR STOCKS

	Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.		Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.
Cardenas-American	21	..	21	Guantanamo	78	80	77
Do pf	70	..	70	Manati	135	186	135
Cen Aguirre	415	430	400	Do pf	100¼	103	100
Fajardo	130	134	131	Nat Sugar Ref	146	149	146
Federal	109	112	109	Santa Cecilia	74	78	75
Do pf	109	112	109	Do pf	79	82	78
Godchaux	57	60	59	Savannah	85	87	87
Do pf	93	96	94	Do pf	88	90	88
Great Western	420	430	420				

TOBACCO STOCKS

	Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.		Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.
Am Cigar	120	128	120	Porto Rican-Am	128	133	128
Do pf	80	90	80	R J Reynolds	520	575	520
Conley Foil	340	360	340	Do B	460	485	460
Geo W Helme	150	165	150	Do pf	103	105⅛	103
Do pf	98	108	98	Univ L Tobacco	125	225	125
J S Young	125	137	130	Do pf	105	108	105
Do pf	97	105	97	Weyman-Bruton	168	178	168
MacA & Forbes	160	168	160	Do pf	97	100	97
Do pf	94	98	94				

CURB TRANSACTIONS

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
2,400	‡Acme Coal	1⅞	1⅜	1⅞	600	Nun'y Candy	22	22	22
3,100	‡Aetna Expl	8⅛	7⅜	7⅜	4,000	Perfect Tire	5⅛	4½	4½
400	Amal Leath	82	81	81	4,200	‡Repub Rub	4½	4½	4¼
6,800	Am Saf Raz	17¼	17	17¼	200	‡Root & Van	53⅞	53⅜	53⅜
2,000	‡Gen Asph	110	107	110	200	‡Snow'sFount	13⅛	13	13⅛
3,900	‡Gen Mo w i	34½	34	34½	1,900	‡Solar Light	19	18½	19
100	‡Godchaux S	56	56	56	400	‡Spicer Mfg	99	99	99
800	‡Goldw Pict	29	29	29	500	‡Stanw Rub	19	18⅜	19
1,700	Grape-Ola	1 1/16	1 1/16	1 1/16	2,000	Subma Boat, v t ctfs	13½	13	13½
2,000	Do pf	1 3/16	1 3/16	1⅛	700	‡Swift Inter	59	58½	59
1,500	‡Heyden Ch	6	5⅜	5⅜	2,000	Un Prof Sh	2½	2⅜	2⅜
1,500	Hupp M C	14⅜	14½	14½	2,500	‡URS, Candy	18	17⅜	18
6,000	Indian Pack	20½	20	20	300	‡U S H S T	27½	27½	27½
2,000	‡Kay Co Gas	2¼	2⅛	2⅛	900	‡Un Pict Pr	16⅜	15½	16⅜
700	‡Lib.McN&L	30	29	30	6,500	U S St'ship	4	3⅞	4
1,700	‡Loco n, w i	25	24⅜	25	1,000	Uzold Tire	4⅜	4¼	4¼
3,500	‡Loew, Inc	30¼	30	30⅛	1,500	‡Van St rts	3¼	3	3¼
1,500	Marc of Am	5⅜	5⅝	5⅜	2,500	‡Vivaudou, Inc	21⅝	20	21
200	‡Mercer Mot	34½	34½	34½	100	Wayne Coal	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
10,000	‡Mont Ward	41	40⅜	40½					
2,000	N A P & P	4⅛	4	4					

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
10	‡South P L	153	153	153	20	‡S O of N Y	446	445	446
80	‡So Pa Oil	329	323	329	10	‡Un Tank L	120	120	120

MISCELLANEOUS OIL STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
900	‡Alli O & R	16½	16	16½	2,200	‡Invincible O	36	34	34½
45,000	‡Allied Oil	¾	11/16	11/16	10,000	Livingston O	2⅝	2½	2⅝
900	Alto G & O	4½	4¼	4½	7,000	Magma O&R	9	8⅜	8⅜
1,000	‡Amal Roy	1⅛	1	1⅛	100	‡Margay Oil	8	8	8
1,100	†Anna Bell Wyo Oil	69	67	68	2,600	‡Merritt Oil	19¼	19	19
1,000	‡Asso Oil	2	2	2	800	Mex-Pan Oil	18	17	18
5,000	‡Bell Pet	2¼	2	2¼	1,000	N Am Oil	5¼	5	5¼
3,500	‡Boone Oil	7	6⅜	6⅞	600	‡Pennok Oil	9⅝	9½	9⅝
500	‡Bos-Mex Oil	2⅞	2⅜	2⅞	2,500	‡PhillipsPet	80½	77½	80½
15,000	†‡Bos-Wyo O	98	96	97	4,000	‡Prod & Ref	10⅛	9⅞	10
400	‡Brazos O C	21	21	21	500	‡Red R Oil	1½	1⅜	1½
2,500	Burknett V Cleave Oil	2½	2⅜	2½	300	‡Rickard Tex	1⅜	1½	1⅜
5,000	‡Carib Synd	52¾	51½	52½	2,000	‡Ryan Pet	4⅞	4½	4⅝
300	‡Cities S C	42	42	42	4,000	†SaltCProd	42½	41¾	41⅞
300	‡ColEmerald	19¼	18	19	300	‡Sap Ref.ref	6⅜	6⅝	6⅝
500	‡Comw Pet	44½	42¼	44½	3,500	Seq O & R	7/16	⅜	7/16
20,000	‡Cosden & Co	9⅛	8⅞	8⅞	700	‡Skelly Oil	11½	11⅜	11⅜
700	‡Cushing Pet	3¼	3	3⅛	2,000	‡Simms Pet	65½	64½	65
3,000	‡Dom Oil	33⅝	33	33½	12,000	‡ Do rts	6¼	5⅞	6
800	‡Duquense O	11	10⅜	10⅜	300	So States C	1¼	1	1¼
300	‡Elk Basin P	8⅝	8½	8⅝	1,600	Spencer Pet	19⅜	19	19½
1,200	Engineers P	1⅛	1⅛	1¼	8,000	‡Stanton Oil	¾	½	¾
4,900	‡Ertel Oil	2	1½	1½	1,000	‡Texas C O	44½	44¼	44¼
5,000	‡Federal Oil	5	4⅜	4⅞	1,000	‡Tex Co, wi	58½	58	58
400	‡Gilliland O	48½	47½	48	1,000	‡Tropical O	19½	18¾	19
2,000	‡Glenrock O	3⅝	3¼	3¼	200	Tex-R P & R	1½	1½	1½
1,900	‡Guf-Gill O	85⅜	85	85¼	7,300	‡TexonO&L	1¼	1	1¼
1,500	‡Home O R Co of Tex	6¼	5½	5⅜	1,200	‡ThramanO	2⅞	2¾	2¾
1,800	†Home Pet of Den	35	34	35	6,300	‡Un Tex Pet	1⅛	1 1/16	1⅛
100	‡Houston Oil	157½	157¼	157¼	1,000	‡Vulcan Oil	6½	6½	6½
2,500	‡Hudson Oil	⅞	⅝	¾	1,100	‡Vic Oil	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
500	‡Hughes Pet	10⅜	10½	10⅜	100	‡WhiteEO&R	23½	23½	23½
2,500	‡Inter Pet	64½	63	63½	15,000	‡White Oil	43⅜	41⅜	43⅜
					500	‡WoodbO, wi	8¼	8¼	8¼
					4,900	†‡WyoConO	40	35	40
					1,000	‡"Y" O & G	5/16	3/16	3/16

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
5,800	Al-Brit C M	1 1/16	15/16	1	3,500	†‡Knox Div	12	11	12
500	Am Hon M	2⅛	2	2⅛	750	†‡Marsh M	28	28	28
500	‡Am Mines	1	1	1	600	Mason Val	2⅞	2¾	2⅞
1,500	‡Ariz Silver	2⅝	1⅜	2	15,000	†‡MacN C M	22	18	21
2,500	†‡Atlanta	2½	2½	2½	20,000	†‡MacN Min	43	41	42
3,500	†‡Belch Div, (a pros.)	28	25	27	700	†McKin-Dar	66	65	66
2,700	†‡Belch Ext, (a pros.)	39	37	39	2,000	‡M-M M, Ltd	75	75	75
1,500	Big Ledge	⅛	1/16	⅛	800	‡Nat Tin	9⅜	9½	9½
2,500	†‡Booth	6	5	6	4,000	Nip Mines	13	12⅞	12⅞
2,700	†‡Caledonia	34	32	33	3,000	†Nixon Nev	23	20	22
2,700	Canada Cop	1 1/16	1	1 1/16	600	†Rex Con	9	8	9
3,700	†‡Cashboy	6½	6	6	8,500	Roper Group	⅜	¼	5/16
700	‡Con Vir Sil	7¼	6⅜	7	3,200	Seneca Cop	16	15	15¼
2,000	Cress Con G	2⅛	2	2⅛	1,600	‡Silver Dol	5/16	⅜	5/16
17,500	‡Divide Ext	13/16	11/16	¾	8,000	SilKg of Ariz	5/16	½	5/16
2,100	El Sal Silver	3⅝	3½	3⅝	2,700	†‡SilKingDiv	11	9	10
2,000	‡Eureka C M	1⅞	1⅜	1⅞	1,200	†‡Silver Pick	6	5	6
500	†‡Eureka H	75	75	75	1,600	Std Sil-Lead	3/16	3/16	3/16
4,800	‡Forty-nineM	2⅝	2½	2⅝	2,700	†‡Success	3½	3	3½
300	‡Gadsden Cp	2½	2⅜	2½	1,200	‡Tono Belm't	2 1/16	2⅛	2⅜
2,700	†‡Gold Z Div	33	30	31	2,700	‡Tono Divide	3½	3¼	3⅜
700	‡Golden Gate	1¼	1⅛	1¼	500	Tono Ext	2⅛	2 1/16	2 1/16
2,500	†‡Goldf Con	12	11	12	700	‡TonoMining	2½	2	2 1/16
3,700	†‡Goldf Dev	12½	11	12	1,500	United East'n	4	3⅞	3 15/16
2,500	†‡Goldf Mer	3½	3	3	3,500	†‡U S Cont	9½	9	9½
1,750	Hecla Min	4	3 15/16	3⅞	300	Unity Gold	8⅝	8¼	8⅝
2,500	†‡Jim Butler	20	19	20	700	†‡VictoryDiv, (a pros)	15	13	14
3,700	†Jumbo Ext	6	5	6	1,700	†W End Con	1⅜	1½	1 5/16
1,700	†‡Kewanas	3	2	3	2,700	†White Caps	11	9	9½

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	‡Am T&T '24	95⅜	95⅜	95⅜	$15,000	‡Swedish 6s	89⅜	89¼	89⅜
2,000	‡Beth Steel 7s, '23	103½	103½	103½	40,000	‡Int R T 7s	71½	69⅝	71
3,000	‡Anacon 6s	95⅜	95½	95½	110,000	‡Rus 5½s	22½	21½	22½
1,000	‡Can 5½s, '29	94	94	94	105,000	‡Rus 6½s	23	21½	21½
1,000	‡Copenhagen 5½s, '44, w i	82½	82½	82½	30,000	‡Rus 6½% ctfs	23	20¼	22
					5,000	‡SouthRy 6s	93	93	93
					300	‡Swiss 5½s	87½	87½	87½

*Odd lot. †Sells cents per share. ‡Unlisted.

STANDARD OIL STOCKS

	Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.		Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.
Anglo-Am Oil, Ltd.	29¾	30¼	29¾	Ohio Oil Co	370	375	370
Atlantic Refining	1585	1615	1585	Pa-Mex Fuel	63	68	65
Do pf	112½	113	112½	Prairie Oil & Gas	680	690	680
Borne-Scrymser	460	480	460	Prairie Pipe Line	267	272	267
Buckeye Pipe Line	93	95	93	Solar Refining	360	380	360
Chesebrough Mfg	255	265	255	Southern Pipe L	150	160	150
Do pf	106	110	106	South Pa Oil	323	328	320
Do rights	2	4	2	Southw Pa Pipe L	95	100	95
Continental Oil	550	575	550	Stand Oil of Cal	305	310	304
Crescent Pipe Line	33	35	33	Stand Oil of Ind	740	755	740
Cumberland P L	140	160	140	Stand Oil of Kan	600	625	600
Eureka Pipe Line	145	150	145	Stand Oil of Ky	460	470	460
Galena Signal Oil	80	82	78	Stand Oil of Neb	530	550	530
Do pf, new	104	108	104	Stand Oil of N J	723	728	722
Do pf old	107	111	107	Do pf	114¼	114⅜	114
Illinois Pipe Line	170	175	170	Stand Oil of N Y	442	446	443
Indiana Pipe Line	90	92	89	Stand Oil of Ohio	530	550	530
Int Pet, Ltd	62¼	64	61½	Swan & Finch	100	115	100
National Transit	34	35	34	Union Tank Car	121	124	121
New York Transit	170	175	170	Vacuum Oil	433	437	433
Northern Pipe L	102	106	102	Washington Oil	40	45	42

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

	Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.		Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.
Am Brass	224	228	224	Fisk Rub 1st pf	97½	100	97
Am Chicle	90	94	90	Gillette Safety Raz	188	192	188
Do pf	80	84	80	Hercules	220	226	220
Amal Leather	80	85	82	Do pf	107	110	107
Do pf	97	97½	97	Ingersoll-Rand Co	175	185	175
Atlas Powder	150	160	150	Do pf	100	105	100
Do pf	88	91	88	Merck & Co	93	98	93
Babcock & Wilcox	114	118	115	Merrimac Chem	90	94	90
Borden & Co	109	111	109	New Jersey Zinc	269	273	272
Do pf	94	97	94	Niles-Bem't-Pond	107	110	107
E. W. Bliss	420	445	420	Do pf	95	100	95
Do pf	65	75	65	Robert Reis	25	30	25
Childs Co	83	86	83	Do pf	90	95	90
Do pf	94	98	94	Royal Baking Pow	135	145	135
Crocker-Wheeler	90	96	90	Do pf	92	94	92
Do pf	97	99	97	Scovill Mfg	395	410	395
Draper Corp	142	145	142	Singer Mfg	170	177	170
Du Pont	360	380	360	Stand Screw Co	330	355	330
Do pf	92½	93¼	92½	Tex & Pac C & O	140	155	140
Eastman Kodak	620	635	620	Valvoline Oil pf	104	107	104
Federal Rub 1st pf	97½	100	97				

DIVIDENDS.

231st Dividend

CHARTERED 1799

BANK OF THE MANHATTAN COMPANY

New York, Dec. 18, 1919

The President and Directors of the Manhattan Company have this day declared a quarterly dividend of SIX PER CENT. on the Capital stock of this Company, payable January 2nd, 1920, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 26, 1919.

The transfer books will not close.

D. H. PIERSON, Cashier.

ALLIED OIL CORPORATION

Dividend No. 5

A quarterly dividend of 2% on the outstanding Stock of this Corporation has been declared payable on January 15, 1920, to Stockholders of record at the close of business December 26, 1919.

JOHN F. HANSEN, Secretary.

New York, December 20th, 1919.

274th Consecutive Dividend

ESTABLISHED 1784.

The Bank of New York

National Banking Association

New York, Dec. 16, 1919.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of Five per cent. (5%), payable on and after January 2, 1920, to stockholders of record of December 22, 1919.

FRED'K. C. METZ, JR., Cashier.

The Merchants National Bank

of the City of New York.

FOUNDED 1803

December 18, 1919.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a semi-annual dividend of six per cent. (6%) on the capital stock of this Bank, payable January 2, 1920, to the stockholders of record at the close of business December 26, 1919.

OWEN E. PAYNTER, Cashier.

233d Consecutive Semi-Annual Dividend.

EAST COAST FISHERIES PRODUCTS CO.

7 Wall Street, New York.

December 15, 1919.

DIVIDEND No. 1.

The Board of Directors of this Company has declared a quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on the Preferred Stock, payable January 1st, 1920, to stockholders of record December 27, 1919.

MARK W. NORMAN, Treasurer.

THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK OF NEW YORK

New York, December 18, 1919.

The Board of Directors has declared a quarterly dividend of three per cent. (3%), payable on and after January 2nd, 1920, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 22nd, 1919.

ALBION K. CHAPMAN, Cashier.

December 18, 1919.

HARRISBURG LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY

Harrisburg, Pa.

The Board of Directors have declared a regular quarterly dividend of one and one-half per cent. (1½%) on the Preferred stock of this Company, payable December 31st, 1919, to stockholders of record December 18th, 1919.

H. W. STONE, Treasurer.

Virginia Iron, Coal & Coke Co.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held this day, a dividend of 3% was declared upon the Capital Stock of the Company, payable on January 25th, 1920, to stockholders of record on the 31st day of December, 1919.

JOHN B. NEWTON, President.

December 19, 1919.

WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC & MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

A Quarterly Dividend of 2% ($1.00 per share) on the PREFERRED Stock of this Company will be paid January 15, 1920.

A Dividend of 2% ($1.00 per share) on the COMMON Stock of this Company for the quarter ending December 31, 1919, will be paid January 31, 1920.

Both Dividends are payable to Stockholders of record as of January 2, 1920.

H. F. BAETZ, Treasurer.

New York, December 23, 1919.

December 22, 1919.

SUPERIOR STEEL CORPORATION

At the regular meeting of the Directors of the Superior Steel Corporation a quarterly dividend of 2% was declared on the First Preferred Stock, payable February 16, 1920, to stockholders of record February 2, 1920.

H. D. SARGE, Secretary.

THE STATE BANK.

New York, December 12th, 1919.

The Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of 6% on the capital stock of this bank, payable on January 2d, 1920, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 15th, 1919.

JOHN KNEISEL, Cashier.

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

86th COMMON DIVIDEND

THE Board of Directors has declared a quarterly dividend of one and three-quarters (1¾) per cent on the Common Capital stock of the Company, payable January 15th, 1920, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 30th, 1919. Transfer books will not be closed.

G. P. WELLS, Treasurer.

WESTERN POWER CORPORATION

The Board of Directors have declared a quarterly dividend of 1¼% on the Preferred Stock, payable January 15th, 1920, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 31st, 1919.

H. P. WILSON, Secretary.

New York, December 23d, 1919.

UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

45 Wall Street, December 23d, 1919.

AN ELECTION for Trustees to supply the places of those whose terms of office expire, and for Inspectors of the next election ensuing thereafter, will be held at the office of the Company on the Sixth day of January, next, (the first Tuesday), between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

WILFRED J. WORCESTER, Secretary.

Westchester Title & Mortgage Company.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of 4% on the capital stock of this Company, payable on January 7th, 1920, to all stockholders of record at the close of business December 31st, 1919.

PHILIP H. KUSS, Treasurer.

Dated White Plains, N. Y., December 19th, 1919.

NIPISSING MINES COMPANY, LTD.

165 Broadway, New York, Dec. 15, 1919.

The Board of Directors has today declared a Regular Quarterly Dividend of FIVE PER CENT., and FIVE PER CENT. extra, payable January 20, 1920, to shareholders of record December 31, 1919. Transfer books close December 31, 1919, and reopen January 19, 1920.

P. C. PFEIFFER, Treasurer.

THE MATHIESON ALKALI WORKS, INC.

Providence, R. I., December 5, 1919.

A quarterly dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. (1¾%) has been declared upon the preferred stock, payable January 2nd, 1920, to stockholders of record at the close of business on December 20th, 1919. Transfer books will not be closed.

FRANCIS B. RICHARDS, Treasurer.

Office of The United Gas Improvement Co.

N. W. Corner Broad and Arch Streets, Philadelphia, December 10, 1919.

The Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of two per cent. ($1.00 per share) payable January 15, 1920, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 31, 1919. Checks will be mailed.

I. W. MORRIS, Treasurer.

SAVINGS BANKS.

The Williamsburgh Savings Bank

Broadway and Driggs Ave., Brooklyn.

Notice is hereby given that on and after the 20th day of January, 1920, a semi-annual Dividend at the rate of

FOUR PER CENT.

per annum will be paid to all depositors in this bank who on the first day of January, 1920, may be entitled thereto.

Money deposited on or before Jan'y 10, 1920, will draw interest from Jan'y 1.

ANDREW D. BAIRD, President.
CHARLES J. PASFIELD, Cashier.

BANK OPEN MONDAY EVE'G, 4 TO 7.

"Banking by Mail" Booklet Sent Upon Request

Money to Loan on Bond and Mortgage Brooklyn and Queens Boroughs

The Bank for Savings

IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

280 Fourth Avenue, December 10, 1919.

201st Semi-Annual Dividend

The Board of Trustees has declared an interest dividend for the six months ending December 31, 1919, at the rate of

Four Per Cent.

per annum on all sums of $5.00 and upward entitled thereto, and payable on and after January 20th, 1920.

THE DIVIDEND will be credited to Depositors as principal January 1st, 1920.

DEPOSITS made on or before January 10th, 1920, will draw interest from January 1st, 1920.

Liberty Loan Bonds belonging to Depositors are being received for safekeeping without charge.

WALTER TRIMBLE, President.
LEWIS B. GAWTRY, Secretary.
JOHN HARPER, Comptroller.

SEAMEN'S BANK FOR SAVINGS

76 Wall Street.

THE TRUSTEES HAVE ORDERED THAT AN INTEREST DIVIDEND be paid to depositors entitled thereto for the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1919.

On accounts not exceeding three thousand dollars at the rate of FOUR PER CENT. per annum.

Payable on and after Monday, Jan. 19th, 1920.

DANIEL BARNES, President.
GEORGE M. HALSEY, Cashier.
WILISTON H. BENEDICT, Secretary.

New York, Dec. 4th, 1919.

—NOTICE—

Deposits to draw interest from Jan. 1st or Apr. 1st or July 1st or Oct. 1st must be made on or before the last day of the previous month.

143RD SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND

UNION SQUARE SAVINGS BANK

No. 20 Union Square.

A DIVIDEND has been declared for the six months ending December 31st, 1919, on all deposits entitled thereto at the rate of

FOUR PER CENT.

per annum on sums from $5 to $3,000, payable on and after January 19th, 1920. Deposits made on or before January 10 will draw interest from January 1.

WILLIAM H. ROCKWOOD, President.
FREDERIC C. MILLS, Treasurer.
H. ROCKWOOD BRINCKERHOFF, Sec'y.
HUGH B. GARDNER, Cashier.

Open 10 to 3; Mon. 10 to 7; Sat. 10 to 12.

ACCOUNTS OF SOCIETIES ACCEPTED.

Central Savings Bank

IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK

CORNER 4TH AVE. AND 14TH ST.

Interest at the rate of

FOUR (4) PER CENTUM

per annum will be credited depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1919, on all sums entitled thereto under the By-laws, not exceeding three thousand ($3,000) dollars, and will be payable on and after January 21, 1920.

Deposits made on or before January 10, 1920, will draw interest from January 1, 1920.

HUBERT CILLIS, President.
A. KOPPEL, Treasurer.

NEW YORK SAVINGS BANK

N. W. Cor. 14th St. and 8th Avenue

Dividend Jan. 1st, 1920, at the rate of

FOUR PER CENT

per annum on all sums from $5 to $3,000 entitled thereto under the By-laws.

DEPOSITS MADE ON OR BEFORE JAN. 10TH WILL DRAW INTEREST FROM JAN. 1ST.

WILLIAM FELSINGER, President.
CLARENCE L. BLAKELOCK, Treasurer.
WALTER R. BRINCKERHOFF, Sec'y.

Dollar Savings Bank

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

Third Avenue and 147th St.

Interest credited January 1st, at the rate of

Four Per Cent.

per annum, on accounts from $5 to $3,000.

Deposits made on or before January 10th draw interest from January 1st.

BRIAN G. HUGHES, President.
WM. M. KERN, Treasurer.
HARRY F. REGAL, Secretary

SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS.

4½% on SAVINGS
Dating From Jan. 1st
Paid many years by the conservative
FRANKLIN SOCIETY
FOR HOME BUILDING AND SAVINGS
38 PARK ROW, NEW YORK.
Mailed Free—"The Proverbs of Franklin."

FOR YEARS WE HAVE PAID
6% TO SAVERS
on our Systematic Savings Plan. Our 30th year. Under N. Y. State Banking supervision.
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BANKERS LOAN & INVESTMENT Co.
A SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION
Dept. M, 63 WALL STREET, N. Y.

DIVIDENDS.

ANACONDA COPPER MINING CO.

42 Broadway, New York, December 23, 1919.

The Board of Directors of the Anaconda Copper Mining Company has declared a dividend of One Dollar ($1.00) per share upon its Capital Stock of the par value of $50 per share, payable on February 24, 1920, to holders of such shares of record at the close of business at 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, January 17, 1920.

The dividend is payable only upon the $50 shares into which the Capital Stock is now divided.

All stockholders who have not converted their holdings into shares of $50 par value should do so without delay in order that they may receive their dividend promptly.

A. H. MELIN, Secretary.

NORTHERN SECURITIES COMPANY,

26 Liberty Street, New York, 10th December, 1919.

The Directors have declared a dividend of four per centum (4%) on the capital stock of this Company, payable January 10th, 1920, to holders of the capital stock of this Company registered on the stock ledger on that date.

The transfer books will be closed at three o'clock P. M. on December 26th, 1919, and will be reopened at ten o'clock A. M. January 12th, 1920.

N. TERHUNE, Secretary & Treasurer.

CONSOLIDATED TEXTILE CORP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a quarterly dividend of 75 cents per share, payable on January 23, 1920, to stockholders of record at 3 P. M., on January 15, 1920, has been declared by the Board of Directors of Consolidated Textile Corporation, on its shares of stock then outstanding, including the 55,000 shares now being offered to stockholders for subscription.

HENRY B. STIMSON, Secretary.

THE BANK OF AMERICA

New York, Dec. 19, 1919.

The Board of Directors has today declared a semi-annual dividend of sixteen (16) per cent., free of tax, payable Jan. 2, 1920, to stockholders of record of this date.

W. M. BENNET, Cashier.

PERFECT YOUR 1920 DRIVE

Third of a series of Messages on the preparedness of Albert Frank & Co. to meet the new advertising demands of Finance and Business.

AT this time it is the part of wisdom to analyze your advertising anew. Has that advertising contained something to make it peculiarly rememberable? Have all costs been considered in determining next year's appropriation? Is present success but a stimulus to greater advertising effort?

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A conference, without obligation, may result in a brighter outlook, and a saner, surer drive for increased business.

MORE THAN AN AGENCY SERVICE

ALBERT FRANK & COMPANY
ESTABLISHED 1872
ADVERTISING
Twenty-Six Beaver Street
New York City
CHICAGO LONDON

THE co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of McGeorge & Vanderhoef of 34 Pine Street, New York City, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

JOSEPH D. McGEORGE
GEORGE W. VANDERHOEF, JR.
CHARLES E. ROBINSON

December 23, 1919.

THE undersigned beg to announce that they have this day formed a partnership under the firm name of

VANDERHOEF & ROBINSON

34 Pine St., N. Y. Telephone John 6495

for the transaction of a general investment and commission business. The new firm will specialize in unlisted securities.

GEORGE W. VANDERHOEF, JR.
CHARLES E. ROBINSON

December 23, 1919.

WE OFFER EXCEPTIONAL FACILITIES TO INCREASE PRODUCTION OF MANUFACTURERS

Through a thoroughly modern foundry and machine shop equipped with the best tools for high grade manufacturing purposes.

A corps of three hundred skilled mechanics and engineers are at your service.

Our organization has an unexcelled record for quality and quick production backed by over twenty years' experience in building high grade machinery.

Through additional capacity at the present time we offer our services to those manufacturers who may be interested.

Address L. S., P. O. Box 372, City Hall Station.

Important Metallurgic Company

in business relations with all factories in the South of France, having a very large plant, a technical staff of first order, warehouses, sheds about 2,000 square meters, 300 horse power, solicits agencies, concessions or consignments of electric materials, machinery of all kinds, automobiles and accessories, etc. The company can furnish first-class references and bonds, also financial co-operation according to the importance of the agency. S 447 Times Downtown.

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who has out of town connections through which he can distribute stocks and bonds to the investing public has an opportunity of becoming associated with a long established brokerage house on salary and commission basis. Replies should state definitely past experience and record together with references. All replies will be treated confidentially.

BROKERAGE HOUSE
R. U., P. O. Box 372, City Hall Station.

DIVIDENDS.

CENTRAL LEATHER COMPANY.

A quarterly dividend of $1.25 per share and an extra dividend of $2 per share on its Common Stock have this day been declared by the Board of Directors of this Company, payable February 2nd, 1920, to stockholders of record January 9th, 1920.

H. W. HILL, Treasurer.

New York, December 23rd, 1919.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

THE FARMERS' SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY

475 Fifth Avenue, New York City

The Annual Election for Directors of THE FARMERS' SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company on TUESDAY, JANUARY 13th, 1920, at 3 o'clock P. M.

AUGUSTUS V. HEELY, Secretary.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

ESTABLISHED 1784

The Bank of New York

National Banking Association

New York, December 13th, 1919.

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of this Bank for the election of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at its banking house, No. 48 Wall Street, on Tuesday, January 13th, 1920, at 12 o'clock noon.

FRED'K C. METZ, JR., Cashier.

HARROUN MOTORS CORPORATION.

A meeting of stockholders will be held on Friday, Dec. 26, 2 P. M., at 15 Park Row, room 805. All stockholders [illegible]

FINANCIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

To the Stockholders of

THE EQUITABLE TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of The Equitable Trust Company of New York is, by authority and direction of the Board of Trustees of the said Company, hereby called to be held at the principal office of the said Company, at No. 37 Wall Street, on the 24th day of December, 1919, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon. The object of the said meeting is

(a) To authorize an increase of the capital stock of the Company from $6,000,000, consisting of sixty thousand shares of the par value of $100 each, to $12,000,000, consisting of one hundred and twenty thousand shares, of the par value of $100 each, being an increase of $6,000,000, consisting of sixty thousand shares of the par value of $100 each;

(b) To authorize the offering of such increased stock, to wit, $6,000,000, for subscription at the rate of $100, for each $100 par value thereof, pro rata in proportion to their several holdings, to the stockholders of the Company of record at the close of business on December 24, 1919, such subscriptions to be made on or before such date and under such regulations and provisions as shall be determined by the Executive Committee; notice of the time and manner of making such subscriptions to be given by the Secretary of the Company to each stockholder of record on the day so fixed, by mailing a copy of such notice to each stockholder at his last known post-office address, at least six (6) days before the termination of the period during which such subscriptions can be made; and to authorize the sale by or under the direction of said Executive Committee of all shares of such increased stock not so taken and paid for to such persons, in such manner, at such times and at such prices as said Executive Committee shall determine; such prices, however, to be not less than $100 per share;

(c) To take such other action as may properly come before the said meeting in relation to the proposed increase of said capital stock and the disposition thereof.

Dated, NEW YORK, December 9, 1919.

ALVIN W. KRECH, President of The Equitable Trust Company of New York.

WILLIAM J. ECK, Secretary of The Equitable Trust Company of New York.

THE MEXICAN EAGLE OIL COMPANY, LIMITED.

(Cia. Mexicana de Petroleo "El Aguila" S. A.)

NOTICE TO AMERICAN SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by Resolutions of the Company passed in Mexico City on the 1st December, 1919, it was resolved (a) to authorize an increase of Share Capital to 115,113,580 Pesos Mexican by the creation of 5,755,679 Ordinary Shares of Ten Pesos Mexican each, and (b) to offer to the present Shareholders of the Company one of such new Ordinary Shares at par for every two Shares, either Preference or Ordinary, held by them.

To enable holders of Share Warrants to Bearer to take advantage of this issue, they must deposit at The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., 5, Threadneedle Street, London, E. C. 2., or any of its branches; The Belfast Banking Co., Ltd., Belfast, or any of its branches; The Clydesdale Bank, Ltd., Glasgow, or any of its branches, Coupon No. 12 detached from Definitive Share Warrants representing Ordinary Shares and/or Coupon No. 19 detached from Definitive Share Warrants representing Preference Shares. These Coupons must be accompanied by a remittance to pay up in full at par for one new Ordinary Share in respect of every two old Shares represented by such Coupons.

For each new Share the sum of £1. 5. 2. (being the exchange equivalent of Ten Pesos Mex. Gold) is payable at the time of lodgment of such Coupons.

Due application for the new Shares must be made to the above-mentioned Bankers not later than the 15th January, 1920, but the Board may, in any special case at its absolute discretion, extend such time, for not exceeding one month.

The above mentioned coupons and remittance must be forwarded to London by the shareholders' bankers, who, in turn, must forward and present them through their London Agents.

The new Shares will rank pari passu with the existing Ordinary Shares, but will not participate in any Dividend that may be declared payable on the 31st December, 1919.

Provisional Certificates will be issued in exchange for the above-mentioned Coupons and remittances, which Provisional Certificates will in due course be exchanged for Definitive Share Warrants to Bearer.

Fractional Certificates representing one-half of a new Share will be issued against payment of 12/7d. each in respect of each odd Share and such Fractional Certificates if presented not later than 31st May, 1920, at the office of Whitehall Securities Corporation, Ltd., London Financial Agents of the Company, 47, Parliament Street, S. W., with additional Fractional Certificates representing one or more complete Shares, and a letter of request signed by the holder, will be exchanged for Provisional Certificates for fully paid Shares.

HERBERT J. CARR,
Attorney-in-fact for
WHITEHALL SECURITIES CORPORATION, LIMITED
(London Financial Agents)

TO THE HOLDERS OF
MARYLAND TRUST COMPANY, Trustee.
NEW SERIES TIMBER CERTIFICATES
For Payment Under Contract Between
Kirby Lumber Company
AND
Houston Oil Company of Texas

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the terms of the Deed of Assignment from the Houston Oil Company of Texas to the Maryland Trust Company, Trustee, dated August 1st, 1911, the entire outstanding balance of New Series Timber Certificates for payment under the Contract between the Kirby Lumber Company and the Houston Oil Company of Texas, which certificates bear date August 1st, 1911, and issued under the above-mentioned deed of assignment, are hereby called for payment on February 1st, 1920, at par and interest to that date.

The above-mentioned certificates will be paid upon presentation at the office of the Maryland Trust Company, Trustee, in the City of Baltimore, or at the office of its Agents, The Chase National Bank, in the City of New York, or The Boatmen's Bank, in the City of St. Louis, on and after February 1st, 1920, upon which date interest thereon will cease.

HOUSTON OIL COMPANY OF TEXAS.
Baltimore, Md., November 21, 1919.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
5% Gold Bonds, Due 1938.

In accordance with Executive Order No. 272 sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned until 10 o'clock A. M. of February 1, March 1, and April 1, 1920, for the purchase and retirement of Bonds of the Dominican Republic dated January 1, 1918, due 1938, without regard to series, to an amount estimated at One Hundred Thirty-eight Thousand Dollars ($138,000.00) on each of the above dates.

All proposals shall be submitted in triplicate on the forms prescribed by the Secretaria de Estado de Hacienda y Comercio, which may be obtained from any branch of the International Banking Corporation, fiscal agents, or direct from this office. Upon the outside of sealed envelopes containing proposals shall appear the words "Proposal, opening of ———" (fill in date). Said proposals will be opened in public in the office of the undersigned on Feb. 1, March 1 and April 1, 1920.

ARTHUR H. MAYO,
Lieutenant Commander, (S. C.,) U. S. N., Officer administering the affairs of the Secretaria de Estado de Hacienda y Comercio, for the Military Government.

THE CUBAN-AMERICAN SUGAR CO.

Notice is hereby given that Two Million ($2,000,000) Dollars par value of First Lien Six (6) Per Cent. Serial Gold Notes (Series B), maturing January 1, 1920, together with coupons thereon, should be presented for payment to The Central Union Trust Company, 80 Broadway, New York, on or after January 2, 1920.

The coupons of the (Series C) Notes, due January 1, 1920, will be paid at the office of the Company, No. 129 Front Street, New York City. JAMES H. POST, Treasurer.

CLEVELAND, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO & ST. LOUIS RY. CO.
Refunding and Improvement Mortgage 6% Bonds.

On account of the non-delivery of the engraved permanent bonds of the above issue by January 2, 1920, the interest due on that date will be paid at the Guaranty Trust Company of New York upon presentation of the temporary bonds for notation. Income Tax certificates for the interest should accompany the bonds.

[illegible], Treasurer.

FINANCIAL NOTICES.

Application will be made for the special permission of the London Stock Exchange for dealing in these Shares.

MARCONI'S WIRELESS TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LIMITED.

Issue of 1,500,000 new Ordinary Shares of £1 each at £3 per share.

Notice to Holders of Share Warrants to Bearer.

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Directors now offer to the Shareholders 1,500,000 new Ordinary Shares of £1 each at the price of £3 per share.

2. Particulars as to terms of issue are contained in a circular letter to the Shareholders dated 8th December, 1919, copies of which can be obtained from any of the undermentioned addresses.

3. Holders of Share Warrants to Bearer who desire to apply for their proportions of the new shares or to renounce their rights in favour of nominees must present their Share Warrants, for marking, together with a written statement of their names and addresses, at one of the following places:—

On or before 19th December, 1919—
The Registered Office of the Company, Marconi House, Strand, London, W.C. 2.
The Office of the Banque d'Outremer, 48, Rue de Namur, Brussels.
The Office of the Banca Italiana di Sconto in Rome and Branches.
The Office of the Banco di Roma, Rome and Branches.
On or before 31st December, 1919—
The Office of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America, Woolworth Building, Broadway, New York, U. S. A.
The Office of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of Canada Limited, 11, St. Sacrament Street, Montreal, Canada.
On or before 7th January, 1920—
The Office of the First National Bank of San Francisco, San Francisco, U. S. A.
On or before 14th January, 1920—
The Office of Mendl & Co., Buenos Ayres, Argentine,
after which dates respectively Share Warrants cannot be received and the right of participation will be absolutely forfeited.

4. Upon presentation of the Share Warrants as indicated in paragraph 3 a form of acceptance and renunciation and nomination will be issued, which must be delivered duly completed to one of the following addresses:—

On or before 19th December, 1919—
The London County Westminster & Parr's Bank Limited, 21 Lombard Street, London, E. C. 3.
The Banque d'Outremer, 48, Rue de Namur, Brussels.
The Banca Italiana di Sconto, Rome and Branches.
The Banco di Roma, Rome and Branches.
On or before the 31st December, 1919—
The Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America, Woolworth Building, Broadway, New York, U. S. A.
The Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of Canada Limited, 11, St. Sacrament Street, Montreal, Canada.
On or before 7th January, 1920—
The First National Bank of San Francisco, San Francisco, U. S. A.
On or before 14th January, 1920—
Mendl & Co., Buenos Ayres, Argentine,
together with a remittance for the amount of 5s. per share (which includes 3s. on account of premium), otherwise the offer will be treated as refused.

By order of the Board,
H. W. CORBY, Secretary.
Marconi House,
Strand, London, W. C. 2.
8th December, 1919.

To Holders of Receipts for the Five Per Cent. Ten-Year Gold Bonds of
THE GENERAL GAS & ELECTRIC CO.

Six months' interest on the five per cent. bonds deposited by you for exchange would have been payable January 1, 1920. The new six per cent. bonds which you are to receive will be dated September 1, 1919, and six months' interest thereon will be payable March 1, 1920. Interest on your five per cent. bonds from July 1 to September 1, 1919, amounting to $8.33 on each $1,000 bond, is, therefore, due you.

If you will forward the receipt that you hold for your five per cent. bonds to the undersigned, together with the ownership certificate required by the Federal Income Tax Law, your receipt will be returned to you after proper notation has been made thereon, and check will be immediately sent to you in payment of the interest on your five per cent. bonds for the two months—July 1 to September 1, 1919. As stated above, interest for six months on the new six per cent. bonds will be payable March 1, 1920.

It is expected that the new six per cent. bonds in definitive form will be ready for delivery about February 15, 1920.

Dated: New York, December 12, 1919.
THE GENERAL GAS & ELECTRIC CO.
By GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, Agent.
140 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

THE STUDEBAKER CORPORATION.
Notice of Redemption of Seven Per Cent. Serial Gold Notes:

Notice is hereby given that The Studebaker Corporation has elected to redeem, on January 1, 1920, all of its outstanding Seven Per Cent. Serial Gold Notes issued pursuant to and subject to the terms of an Agreement between The Studebaker Corporation and Central Union Trust Company of New York, as Trustee, dated January 1, 1919. Said notes will be redeemed by the payment on January 1, 1920, of the principal thereof, together with the accrued interest thereon to said date, together with a premium of one per cent. for the calendar year (January 1 to December 31, inclusive), in which said notes shall be redeemed, and an additional one per cent. for each full calendar year (January 1 to December 31, inclusive), between the year in which the notes shall be redeemed and the year in which they shall mature, as provided in Article Fourth of said Agreement of January 1, 1919, upon presentation and surrender of said notes, together with all coupons maturing on and after January 1, 1920, at the office of Central Union Trust Company of New York, No. 80 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, New York.

After January 1, 1920, all interest on said notes will cease.

South Bend, Indiana, November 24, 1919.
THE STUDEBAKER CORPORATION,
By A. R. ERSKINE, President.

TO THE HOLDERS AND OWNERS OF THE FIRST LIEN TWENTY YEAR, SIX PER CENT, SINKING FUND GOLD BONDS OF THE SOUTHWESTERN UTILITIES CORPORATION ISSUED UNDER THE MORTGAGE OR DEED OF TRUST DATED NEW YORK, N. Y., JULY 1, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that all outstanding first lien twenty year, six per cent. sinking fund gold bonds of the Southwestern Utilities Corporation, issued under the mortgage or deed of trust dated New York, N. Y., July 1, 1916, to the Columbia Trust Company, Trustee, will be redeemed February 1, 1920, in accordance with Article IV., Sections 1 and 2 of said mortgage or deed of trust, at the office of the Trustee, the Columbia Trust Company, No. 60 Broadway, New York City, N. Y. All said bonds are hereby required to be then and there presented for payment. Each bond presented for payment must be accompanied by all coupons for interest maturing subsequently to February 1, 1920, on which date all said bonds outstanding will cease to bear further interest.

THE SOUTHWESTERN UTILITIES CORPORATION,
By Wm. H. Johnson, President.

U. S. INDUSTRIAL ALCOHOL COMPANY
As Successor to
Republic Distilling Company.

Purchase, Prior to Maturity, of First Mortgage Seven Per Cent. Sinking Fund Gold Bonds of REPUBLIC DISTILLING COMPANY.

Pursuant to direction of, and for account of, U. S. Industrial Alcohol Company, as successor to Republic Distilling Company, the undersigned will purchase at any time prior to March 1, 1920, at par and accrued interest at its office, No. 37 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan of the City, County and State of New York, any or all of the Two Million Dollars ($2,000,000) First Mortgage Seven Per Cent. Sinking Fund Gold Bonds secured by a mortgage made by Republic Distilling Company to The Equitable Trust Company of New York, as Trustee, bearing date March 15, 1903, remaining unpaid, upon presentation and surrender of said bonds with March 1, 1920 coupons attached.

Dated, December 3rd, 1919.
THE EQUITABLE TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, Trustee.
By LYMAN RHOADES, Vice President.

NOTES CALLED

DUQUESNE LIGHT CO.
Three Year Six Per Cent. Secured Gold Notes

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a reserved right in the Trust Indenture given by the Duquesne Light Company to the Bankers Trust Company of New York, N. Y., Trustee, dated July 1st, 1918, all of the Notes of the issue of $12,000,000.00 in denominations of $500.00 and $1,000.00 which may be outstanding, will be redeemed on January 1st, 1920, at 101 and accrued interest.

Interest on the said Notes will cease on January 1st, 1920. The principal of said Notes and a premium of one per cent. (1%) will be paid to the holders thereof, upon presentation at the office of the Bankers Trust Company, 16 Wall Street, New York, N. Y.

C. J. BRAUN, Jr., Treasurer.

AMERICAN BOSCH MAGNETO CORPORATION.
Notice of Call for Redemption.

Notice is hereby given that by proper action of the Directors all the Seven Per Cent. Serial Gold notes of the American Bosch Magneto Corporation, maturing on January 15, 1921, and January 15, 1922 (being all of the Seven Per Cent. Serial Gold notes of the Company except those maturing on January 15, 1920), have been called for redemption on January 15, 1920, at 101% of their principal amount and accrued interest. Payment will be made at the First National Bank of Boston on or after said date upon proper presentation of the notes.

The notes maturing on January 15, 1920, will be paid in accordance with their terms.

GEORGE A. MACDONALD, Treasurer.
Springfield, November 28, 1919.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS
Consolidated Gas Company of New York

New York, December 6, 1919.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Consolidated Gas Company of New York will be held on December 29, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Company, No. 130 East 15th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the following purposes:

1. To consider the proposition which has been approved by the Board of Trustees, that this Company create an issue of $25,000,000, aggregate principal amount, Five Year Secured Seven Per Cent. Convertible Gold Bonds, to be dated as of February 1, 1920, to mature February 1, 1925, to bear interest at the rate of 7% per annum, payable quarterly, to be secured by the pledge of certain shares of stock belonging to the Company, and to be convertible, at the option of the respective holders, on February 1, 1922, or on any interest date thereafter, into an equivalent amount, par value, of this Company's capital stock;

2. To authorize and consent to such issue and the pledge of the said stock as security therefor, and to provide the terms and conditions of the said issue; and

3. To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Transfer books of the Company will be closed on December 13, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, and reopened on December 30, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of the Board of Trustees.
GEO. B. CORTELYOU, President.
R. A. CARTER, Secretary.

THE OHIO CITIES GAS COMPANY.
Notice of Special Meeting of Stockholders.
Columbus, Ohio, December 19, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a special meeting of the Stockholders of The Ohio Cities Gas Company at the office of the Company, 246 North High Street, in the City of Columbus, Ohio, on the 29th day of January, 1920, at ten A. M., to consider and take action upon a resolution:—

To amend the Articles of Incorporation providing for an increase in the authorized cumulative preferred stock of the company to the sum of $90,000,000.00, divided into shares of the par value of $100.00 each.

Out of said new preferred stock 100,000 shares, aggregating $10,000,000.00, shall bear quarterly cumulative dividends at the annual rate of 6%, and no more, and shall be set apart for the sole purpose of being issued, at the option of its present owners, in exchange, share for share, for the 100,000 shares of preferred 5½% stock, and as such shares are exchanged from time to time they shall be canceled and not reissued. The remainder of this preferred stock, to wit: $70,000,000.00 to be issued in parts or installments from time to time, as the Board of Directors may determine. Such parts or installments to bear annual dividends to be fixed by the Directors at the time of issue at not less than 5%, or more than 8%, and no more, but such rates of dividend after having been once fixed shall be unalterable.

Each share of preferred stock shall be entitled to four votes at all meetings of stockholders and any or all of said new preferred stock may be redeemed at $110.00 per share and accrued dividends at any dividend-paying period, after at least sixty days' notice.

For the purpose of this meeting, the books for transfer of stock shall close, except for split certificates, at the close of business on the 8th day of January, 1920, and will be reopened at the opening of business on the 30th day of January, 1920.

By order of the Board of Directors,
T. J. JONES, Asst. Secretary.
Columbus, Ohio, December 19, 1919.

CENTRAL UNION TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Union Trust Company of New York for the election of Trustees of said Company of the Class of 1923, and three Inspectors of the next succeeding election; the approval of the acts and proceedings of the Board of Trustees and of the Executive Committee, whose minutes will be submitted thereat, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, 80 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Thursday, January 8th, 1920, at twelve o'clock noon. Polls will be opened from twelve o'clock noon to one o'clock P. M.

M. FERGUSON, Secretary.
December 22, 1919.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of Harris & Vaughan, Inc., will be held at the principal office of the Company at 569 Fifth Av., New York, on January 7th, 1920, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of taking action to change the name of the Company from Harris & Vaughan, Inc., to Harris Vought & Company, Incorporated, which is the name the Company proposes to assume, and of transacting such other business incidental to the foregoing as may come before the meeting.

Dated, New York, December 22nd, 1919.
DUNCAN G. HARRIS, President.
FRANKLIN D. VOUGHT, Secretary.

IRVING NATIONAL BANK

New York, December 13, 1919.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it, will be held in the banking rooms, No. 233 Broadway, Tuesday, January 13th, 1920, at 12 o'clock noon, the polls to be open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

The transfer books will be closed from 12 o'clock noon, January 10th, 1920, until 10 o'clock A. M., January 14th, 1920.

E. D. JUNIOR, Cashier.

BANK OF CUBA IN NEW YORK.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Bank of Cuba in New York will be held at the office of the Bank, No. 34 Wall Street, January 6th, 1920, at two o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing Directors and Officers for the ensuing year and of considering and acting upon such other matters as may come before the meeting.

Dated, New York City, December 23, 1919.
W. A. MERCHANT, President.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK

New York, December 11, 1919

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the shareholders of the National Bank of Commerce in New York for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing year will be held at its banking house, 31 Nassau Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 13, 1920, at 12 o'clock noon. The polls will be open from 12 o'clock to 1 P. M.

RICHARD W. SAUNDERS, Cashier.

WESTCHESTER AVENUE BANK.

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and for a resolution changing the number of the Directors from thirteen to fifteen and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Bank, No. 1060 Southern Boulevard, Borough of Bronx, New York City, New York, on Tuesday, the 13th day of January, 1920, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

The polls will be open from 1 P. M. to 2 P. M. RUSSELL B. SMITH, Cashier.

THE STATE BANK.

New York, December 12th, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The State Bank, New York, for the election of Directors to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House, 374-378 Grand Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Tuesday, January 13th, 1920, at 12 noon. The polls will be open from 12 to 1 P. M. JOHN KNEISEL, Cashier.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE LINCOLN SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY:

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Lincoln Safe Deposit Company will be held at 60-72 East 42nd Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Wednesday, January 7th, 1920, at one o'clock P. M., to elect eleven Directors and two Inspectors of Election for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

WALTER C. REID, Acting Secretary.

Brown, Wheelock Company, Inc.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at the office of the company, 14 Wall Street, on Wednesday, January 7th, 1920, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting. The transfer books of the company will be closed at 12 o'clock noon on December 27th, 1919, and remain closed until 10 A. M., January 8th, 1920.

C. P. DONNELLY, Jr., Secretary.

New York, December 7, 1919.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF DIRECTORS of the MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York will be held at its Banking House, No. 42 Wall Street, New York, on Tuesday, January 13th, 1920, from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

OWEN E. PAYNTER, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Brett & Goode Company will be held at its offices, 582 Fifth Avenue, New York City, on Wednesday, January 7th, 1920, at 10 A. M.

ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the United Spruce Corporation will be held at its offices, 582 Fifth Avenue, New York City, on Monday, January 5th, 1920, at 11 A. M.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Westchester Racing Association will be held at 43 Exchange Place, New York, on Thursday, January 8, 1920, at 3 P. M.

[illegible], Secretary.

Police and Fire News.

Police Department.

Leaves of absence, without pay: Capt. W. W. Duggan, 29th, for 1 day, from 12 noon, Dec. 25; Sergts. O. H. Bohmke, 6th, for 1 day, from 12:01 A. M., Dec. 26; J. P. Challon, 15th, for 1 day, from 12:01 A. M., Dec. 25; Patrol. F. H. Wilshire, 1st, for 1 day, from 4 P. M., Dec. 27; William Schneider, 14th, for 2 days, from 8 A. M., Dec. 26; H. J. Tappen, 57th, for 6 days, from 12:01 A. M., Dec. 24; F. H. Riley, Traffic Div., Subd. B, for 1 day, from 8:30 A. M., Dec. 24. For 1 day, from 8 A. M., Dec. 24: J. F. A. Hitz, 28; Harry Dunwoody, 53. For 1 day, from 4 P. M., Dec. 24: Frederick Rauch, 32; J. W. Johnson, 63; Charles Scholpp, 39; J. H. Bearens, 82. For 1 day, from 12:01, Dec. 25: E. P. Drosnan, 5; J. T. Gough, 23; N. J. Majewski, 45; Louis Bruggemann, 63; Eugene Turro, 6; H. L. Schmidt, 29; Henry Bickelhaupt, 53; August Meyer, 87. For 1 day, from 8 A. M., Dec. 25: H. J. McCormack, 6; W. C. Gilby, 63. For 1 day, from 4 P. M., Dec. 25: W. W. Corbett, 6; C. F. Tighe, 23; P. S. Nealon, 49; Charles Fetteroll, 65; C. J. Cavanagh, 82; H. A. J. Weisenreider, 6; J. M. Dunn, 28; R. L. Cahill, 53; J. B. Stevens, 82; E. F. Hogan, 87. For 1 day, from 12:01 A. M., Dec. 26: E. F. Kasdorf, 15; J. B. Kaiser, 29; James McKetrick, 39; Jacob Platt, Jr., 15; J. A. Murtha, 35; J. J. Tauckus, 101.

Applications for full pay while on sick report approved: Patrol. H. J. Scharp, 74th, from 7:25 A. M., Dec. 12, during disability; C. E. Foye, 111th, from 2:30 P. M., Dec. 14, during disability.

Fire News.

Advancement in grade, to take effect at 8 A. M. on dates specified: 2d to 1st grade, Jan. 3, 1920, Matthew J. Skelly, Eng. 11; 4th to 3d grade, Jan. 6, 1920, Joseph F. Daly, Eng. 203; 4th to 3d grade, Jan. 10, 1920, Roger O'Sullivan, Eng. 1; Patrick Grogan, Eng. 2; Patrick A. Murphy, Eng. 2; John Barry, Eng. 6; Michael Dolan, Eng. 9; Denis J. Walsh, Eng. 10; William H. Petrich, Eng. 11; Frank J. Kriz, Eng. 22; Ernest W. Brudern, Eng. 27; John Gallagher, Eng. 30; Timothy Gately, Eng. 44; Wesley Williams, Eng. 55; Peter J. Harmon, Eng. 58; John J. McCormack, Eng. 60; Theo. J. Bellakoff, Eng. 65; Hugh J. Rooney, Eng. 74; William Byrnes, Eng. 92; William Crowe, Eng. 201; Francis A. Moran, Eng. 203; John Mooney, Eng. 209; Patrick Scallon, Eng. 211; Edward R. Holder, Eng. 228; Joseph L. Murphy, Eng. 251; Michael P. Cashman, Eng. 282; Frederick Geiger, H. & L. 10; Daniel Curtin, H. & L. 14; Harry Reidy, H. & L. 21; Timothy Leary, H. & L. 24; James E. McCarthy, H. & L. 105.

4th to 3d grade, Jan. 14, 1920, Michael F. McTighe, H. & L. 21; 4th to 3d grade, Jan. 16, 1920, Bernard A. Quinn, Eng. 204; John F. Scully, H. & L. 7; 4th to 3d grade, Jan. 25, 1920, Michael Woods, H. & L. 3; Frank L. Stronczer, H. & L. 6; George Kistenberger, H. & L. 8.

4th to 3d grade, Jan. 28, 1920, Charles A. Sweeney, Eng. 5; Patrick Gaffney, Eng. 8; John Dwyer, Eng. 13; Oscar J. Groves, Eng. 13; Christian Seid, Jr., Eng. 22; Arthur J. Logan, Eng. 28; Joseph Skvor, Eng. 29; Theodore Archer, Eng. 203; Thomas A. Earley, Eng. 205; John M. Reilly, Eng. 214; Frank J. Tyrrell, Eng. 221; Joseph A. Sullivan, No. 2, Eng. 222; Rudolph O. Friedel, Eng. 228; Edward Maher, Eng. 229; John A. Dean, Eng. 230; James Walsh, Eng. 238; John J. A. Feeney, Eng. 238; Michael F. Logan, Eng. 240; Frank Napolitano, Eng. 269; John J. Musanti, H. & L. 8; Michael J. Kelly, H. & L. 12; Michael F. Burns, H. & L. 26; Denis Herlihy, H. & L. 26; William C. N. Pedersen, H. & L. 26; James A. Allen, Jr., H. & L. 103; Peter J. Liehr, H. & L. 108; Bartholomew McSweeney, H. & L. 131; Peter J. Mahon, H. & L. 131.

4th to 3d grade, Jan. 29, 1920, William R. McDonough, Eng. 2; Patrick F. Croghan, Eng. 76; Martin J. Lawler, Eng. 201; Robert D. Miller, Jr., Eng. 205; Otto Liebig, Eng. 207; Francis A. Rogers, Eng. 209; Charles Markey, Eng. 211; Michael Quirke, Eng. 216; E. J. O'Connor (2), Eng. 221; Michael McChrone, Eng. 245; John Daly, H. & L. 5; Fred W. Wittenbecker, H. & L. 13; Frederick Storms, H. & L. 14; John E. Fagan, H. & L. 24; Charles T. Leary, Jr., H. & L. 146; Herman H. Schnibbe, H. & L. 148.

4th to 3d grade, Jan. 30, 1920, Robert O. Severin, Eng. 23; August L. Muller, Eng. 204. 2d to 1st grade, Jan. 31, 1920, Harry H. Michaels, Eng. 3.

The following uniformed fireman will be directed to report to the chief medical officer for examination on Dec. 24, 1919, at 11 A. M.: Henry J. Jakubowski, Eng. 29.

Members of the department doing duty in the two platoon zone and on regular 24-hour leave of absence on Thursday, Dec. 25, 1919, shall report for duty for four hours, from 12 o'clock noon until 4 o'clock P. M., on that date. This in order to permit members on duty for 24 hours to have their Christmas dinner at home, and who will be excused for that purpose.

Education Notes.

Sixteen high school teachers have been assigned by the Board of Education as administrators to high schools having fifty or more teachers in one building, from Jan. 1 to July 31. They are now serving under assignment, which will expire Dec. 31. Their names and the schools are as follows: Harry B. Penhollow, De Witt Clinton; John D. Minnick, Commerce; Murray Bruce, Stuyvesant; F. Louise Warr, Washington Irving; Harold E. Foster, Morris; Henry I. Norr, Evander Childs; Mabel Wright, Girls'; Katherine I. Hedgdon, Erasmus Hall; Clifford H. Coon, Commercial; Harold G. Campbell, Eastern District; Willard H. Nelson, Manual Training; Harry W. Leyenberger, Bushwick; Mabel H. Benway, Bay Ridge; Emma W. Heermance, Bryant; Roscoe A. Grant, Jamaica, and A. E. Book, Newtown.

Christmas exercises will be held in the New Utrecht High School at 1 P. M. today. Former graduates are invited to be present. The newly elected members of the Senior Arista will be installed, and an interesting program will be presented by members of the present senior class.

The proposal of the Board of Superintendents to organize intermediate departments in P. S. 104, Manhattan, and 178, Brooklyn, has been referred to Messrs. Yeska and Somers of the Board of Education for a report.

Clara L. Birkinshaw, Chairman of the School Problems Committee of the Teachers' Welfare League, asked for the reopening and rerating of the last examination papers of Principals to assistants. The matter has been referred to the Committee of the Whole for consideration.

A class in common branches will be established in the Chemical National Bank, 270 Broadway, for its employes, the class to be in session two hours a day, three days a week.

Frank Pickelsky and Jacob Shufro have been appointed Principals respectively of P. S. 104 and 147 Boys', Brooklyn.

Mary McDonnell has been appointed library assistant in the Julia Richman High School.

J. T. Mercier has been appointed a teacher of woodworking in P. S. 37, Manhattan.

John M. Lamb, teacher of machine shop practice, has been appointed to P. S. 62, Manhattan.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

CAPITAL TO INVEST.

Young man, traveling salesman, wishes to invest $2,500 and services in manufacturing proposition. V 463 Times Downtown.

Inside man will invest $1,500 with services, manufacturing neckwear. L 299 Times.

CAPITAL WANTED.

Large lumber concern wants ablest lumberman they can find, who is willing to accept moderate salary until has demonstrated worth; preferably man experienced in yard management and able buyer and salesman; headquarters Richmond; attractive opening for broad gauge man, with or without capital. Box 572, Richmond, Va.

Partner — Dress manufacturer with large plant, working for jobbers, wants partner, with about $6,000. Phone Westchester 1736, between 6 and 7 P. M.

Experienced business man with $30,000 and growing clientele wishes party with like amount to finance fast-growing possibility. X 46 Times Annex.

BUSINESS CONNECTIONS WANTED.

Wanted—The agency of a well-established insurance company for the business of insuring the body and for goods of ships (native country craft) for a firm of 75 years' standing; will give highest references and from the best bank for any amount. Please write Virji Latji & Co., Kharek Bazar, Mandvi, Bombay, India.

St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Northwestern territory, manufacturers desiring representation, commission basis; established trade with the dry goods, drug, grocery jobbers; have selling office, sales force; references. X 55 Times Annex.

EXPORTERS, FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES, EXCLUSIVE FOREIGN AGENCIES OPEN FOR SIX-CYLINDER AUTOMOBILE, $2,000 CLASS; QUICK ACTION; FIRST-CLASS ONLY. X 27 TIMES ANNEX.

JAPAN, MANILA, CHINA, INDIA, AUSTRALIA—Responsible firm sending representative, with two years' experience in these parts, ready to entertain further propositions. P 4 Times.

College man, 28, $1,000 to invest and take active part in business that will stand investigation. Address, with full particulars, H. R. L., 42 West 44th St.

Manufacturer to market auto accessory, patented article, or sell outright. T 21 Times.

BUSINESS LOANS.

$8,000 wanted, 6%, 12 months; good collateral for loan, and stock bonus offered which promises quick profits; write for interview only if you have ready cash. N 262 Times.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

PATENTS.—Over 70 years' practice; all communications strictly confidential; handbook on patents free on request; special facilities for office consultations. Munn & Co., patent attorneys, 611 Woolworth Building, New York.

FOR SALE.

For Sale—Furniture store, storage and moving van business, near Times Square; present owner wishing to retire; $12,000; bargain. X 34 Times Annex.

Fur dyeing establishment for sale. Apply 520 West 40th St., top floor.

Best drug store, Newark, for $20,000; $5,000 [illegible] L 308 Times Downtown.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Pressure is low off the Atlantic Coast and over the St. Lawrence Valley, the lower lake region, and the Western Canadian provinces. Areas of high pressure of considerable magnitude have their centres over Northern Minnesota and Utah.

During the last twenty-four hours there were local snows in the upper lake region, rains in the North Pacific States, and considerable cloudiness and fog over the Ohio and Central Mississippi Valleys. In other regions the weather remained fair.

The temperature has fallen decidedly along the north border from Lake Superior westward to North Dakota, and it has not changed materially in other regions.

Temperatures are relatively high over the east slope of the Rocky Mountains and generally over districts west thereof and are near the normal in the great central valleys and the East and South States.

In the New England States the weather will be unsettled Wednesday and fair and considerably colder on Thursday. In the Middle Atlantic States the weather will be cloudy Wednesday and be fair and colder on Thursday. In the South Atlantic and East Gulf States the weather will be generally fair without material change in temperature Wednesday and Thursday. In the Ohio Valley and Tennessee the weather will be partly cloudy Wednesday and Thursday, with somewhat lower temperature. In the region of the Great Lakes there will be local snows and much colder weather on Wednesday and partly cloudy and moderately cold on Thursday.

Cold wave warnings are displayed in upper Michigan and in the northern portion of lower Michigan.

Winds off Atlantic Coast: North of Sandy Hook, moderate variable winds, becoming strong northwest Wednesday afternoon or night, with unsettled weather; Sandy Hook to Hatteras, moderate variable winds, becoming fresh and strong west and northwest, cloudy and unsettled weather; Hatteras to Florida Straits, gentle to moderate northwest winds and fair weather; Gulf Coasts, gentle variable winds and fair weather, disturbance north of Bermuda moving northeastward.

FORECAST TODAY AND THURSDAY.

Eastern New York—Cloudy in south, probably local snows in northern portion Wednesday; much colder Wednesday afternoon and night. Thursday, fair and colder.

New Jersey — Cloudy Wednesday; colder Wednesday night. Thursday, fair and colder.

Southern New England—Unsettled Wednesday; colder Wednesday night. Thursday, fair and colder.

Eastern Pennsylvania—Cloudy Wednesday, probably snow in extreme northern portion; colder Wednesday night. Thursday, fair and colder.

Northern New England — Cloudy, probably local snows Wednesday; much colder Wednesday afternoon or night. Thursday, probably fair and colder.

Western Pennsylvania — Cloudy and colder Wednesday; probably snow near Lake Erie. Thursday, fair.

Western New York — Snow flurries and colder Wednesday. Thursday, cloudy, moderately cold; probably snow flurries near the lakes.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at 11 P. M., taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1919.	1918.		1919.	1918.
3 A. M.	35	54	4 P. M.	41	57
6 A. M.	35	51	6 P. M.	40	52
9 A. M.	38	52	9 P. M.	38	51
12 M.	39	55	11 P. M.	36	49

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 36; for the corresponding date last year it was 53; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 33.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 33; at 8 P. M. it was 38. Maximum temperature, 45 degrees at 3 P. M.; minimum, 28 degrees at 7 A. M. Humidity, 83 per cent. at 8 A. M., 94 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 30.17 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 29.95 inches.

Fire Record.

A.M.	Loss.
1:42—82 E. 107 St.; not given	Slight
2:07—110 W. 27 St.; Hellman & Co.	Not given
4:00—240 W. 23 St.; Jos. Hoffman	Not given
5:05—238 E. 38 St.; City of N. Y.	Not given
6:50—2,193 2 Av.; Mrs. Coco	Not given
8:00—176 Grand St.; National Metal & Snapping Co.	None
8:20—82 Bayard St.; Ling Fong	None
9:00—Pier 61, N. R.; Red Star Line Co.	Slight
9:25—64 W. 46 St.; American R. R. Exp. Co.	Slight
9:55—114 3 Av.; Abe Silverman	Not given
10:45—20 Stanton St.; Calagero Dravo	Slight
11:20—30 St. & N. R.; D. S. C.	Slight
11:55—17 W. 32 St.; Aberdeen Hotel	Slight
12:00—318 Monroe St.; not given	Slight
P.M.	
12:35—Canal St. & E. R.; D. S. C.	None
1:30—338 W. 18 St.; Anna Glune	Slight
1:40—49 Rutgers St.; Not given	Slight
3:00—344 W. 18 St.; not given	Slight
4:50—965 Fox St.; Fred. Castle	Slight
5:00—107 E. 127 St.; Emanato Cuevan	Slight
5:00—124 E. 121 St.; M. H. Power	Slight
5:35—86 Rivington St.; Rachael Green	Slight
5:50—127 W. 137 St.; James Johnson	Slight
6:35—206 E. 79 St.; Mary Downing	Slight
7:00—782 8 Av.; Michael Reisler	Slight
7:30—2,002 Honeywell Av.; Mary Dolan	Slight
9:50—Pelham Parkway and East Chester Road (auto); not given	Slight
9:50—Fordham Road and Jerome Av.; Walter Cook	Slight

The Civil Service.

City.

An examination has been ordered for medical clerk, grade 2. Candidates must be at least 21 years of age. The subjects and weights of the examination will be: Duties, 3; report, 3; handwriting, 2; arithmetic, 1; citizenship, 1. Medical clerks are employed in the Vital Statistics Division of the Health Department to examine certifications of death and of detecting evidences of unreported communicable diseases. Candidates must be graduates of a recognized medical college. The usual salary is $1,200 a year.

United States.

The Commission announces for Jan. 13 an examination for ordnance engineer. Vacancies in the Ordnance Department at Large of the War Department, at salaries ranging from $3,000 to $5,000 a year, will be filled from this examination. The entrance salary will depend upon the qualifications of the appointee and the duty to which assignment is made. For this position male eligibles are desired. Competitors will not be required to report for examination at any place, but will be rated on: Physical ability, 10; education and experience, 90. Applicants must have graduated from a four years' high school course or completed four full years of study in a school equivalent to that of a high school. Applicants will be admitted to this examination regardless of their age; but at the request of a department making appointment certification will be made of eligibles who are within reason-

Estates Appraised.

RHULE, WILLIAM L. (Oct. 13, 1918). Total assets $43,897. Personal interest in firm Ruhl & Co., wholesalers of artists' materials at 43 and 47 West 23d St., $43,647. The estate goes to his wife, Ada M. Rhule, and his father, Conrad H. Rhule, both of 134 West 118th Street, in equal shares.

TILTON, ELIZABETH P. (July 27, 1919). Total assets $144,304. Cash $3,251, personal $6,183, stocks and bonds $134,869. Her son and daughter, Stephen Tilton of 117 West 58th St. and Mary T. Hyde of Washington, D. C., receive $67,870 each.

Army Orders.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The War Department published the following orders today:

Medical Corps.

Day, Maj. J. M.; Vaughn, Maj. E. L.; Thomas, Capt. A. A., and Stothart, Capt. E.; Nicholson, 1st Lt. H. M.; Madden, 1st Lt. T. F., and Culpepper, 1st Lt. W. L., hon. discharged.

Infantry.

Koch, Maj. J. J.; Eckman, Capt. L. L.; Marshall, Capt. R. G.; Wiles, Capt. H. F.; Manners, Capt. H. B., and Campbell, 1st Lt. R. R., hon. discharged.

Wappenstein, 1st Lt. W. A., assigned to 44th.

Getzoff, 1st Lt. B., to Chicago for discharge.

Quartermaster Corps.

Hahn, Lt.Col. J. D., to Schenectady, N. Y., Army Res. Depot.

Hofmann, Lt. Col. A. A.; Cantion, Maj. P. E.; Krause, Capt. F., and Franklin, 1st Lt. L. I., will report to Director of Purchase and Storage.

Helman, Capt. C. H., and Benke, Capt. H. W., hon. discharged.

Pillans, Capt. W. I., to Washington.

Smith, Capt. R. K., to Ft. Wright as Const. Qm.

Veterinary Corps.

Howe, Capt. H. H., to Camp Grant, relieving Capt. F. G. Sager, who will proceed to Chicago.

Weisman, 1st Lt. L. G., to Ft. Huachuca, relieving 1st Lt. W. C. Mould, who will proceed to Chicago.

Caldwell, 1st Lt. G. L., to Chicago.

Richards, 1st Lt. G. L., to Ft. Sill.

Coast Artillery.

Allen, Lt. Col. H. C., will report to Chief of C. A.

Johnson, Lt. Col. J. C., to Ft. Monroe.

Miscellaneous.

Blair, Col. J. A., hon. discharged.

Wright, Maj. Gen. W. M., detailed a member of the General Staff Corps, and exec. asst. to the Chief of Staff.

Perkins, Maj. C. B., to Camp Travis as Veterinarian, relieving Maj. W. B. Cook, who will proceed to Douglas, Ariz.

Lackland, Maj. F. D., Air Ser., to Montgomery, Ala., at Aviation Repair Depot.

McIntyre, Maj. Gen. F., will revert to his position as Chief of Bureau of Insular Affairs.

Thompson, Capt. O. W., to Camp Taylor.

Powell, Capt. W. W., Cav., hon. discharged as Capt. only.

Gillette, 1st Lt. N. W., to Hosp. No. 19, at Oteen, N. C., sick.

Resignations.

Adams, D. B., Engs., as Temp. Maj. and as Prov. 1st Lt.

Manley, Capt. F. W., Inf.

LaFitte, J. H., C. A. C., as Temp. Capt. and as 1st Lt.

Clyde, L., C. A. C., as Temp. Capt and as 1st Lt.

Cabot, 1st Lt. C. R., F. A.

Tiers, L. P., Inf., as Temp. 1st Lt. and as Prov. 2d Lt.

Leaves.

Corbusier, Col. P. W., Cav., 15 days' ext.
McDonald, Col. J. B., Cav., 10 days.
Dargue, Lt. Col. H. A., Air Ser., 10 days.
Garr, Lt. Col. M., Cav., 1 month.
Sawyer, Lt. Col. C. N., Sig. C., 15 days.
Bachman, Maj. J. J., F. A., 10 days.
Minton, Maj. H. C., F. A., 10 days.
Mathews, Maj. C. J., Inf., 14 days.
Teter, Maj. J. J., C. A. C., 10 days.
Bunce, Maj. J. W., M. C., 1 month.
Saulnier, Maj. S. G., Inf., 10 days.
Tuttle, Capt. A. L., Inf., 12 days.
Williams, Capt. A. W., Cav., 20 days.
Ring, 1st Lt. R. L., Inf., 15 days' ext.
Dings, 1st Lt. E. M., M. C., 10 days.
Hayes, 1st Lt. G. P., F. A., 1 month.
Clime, 1st Lt. B. S., Ord. Dept., 30 days.
Harris, 1st Lt. H. L., Jr., 10 days.
Doty, 1st Lt. D. B., Jr., Phil. Scouts, 1 month's ext.
Texter, 1st Lt. W. H., Inf., 10 days.

SHIPPING AND MAILS

Miniature Almanac for Today.

[By the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.]

Sun rises........7:18 | Sun sets.........4:34

THE TIDES.

	High Water. A.M.	High Water. P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	Low Water. P.M.
Sandy Hook	8:38	9:10	2:30	3:13
Governors Island	8:50	9:21	3:00	3:02
Hell Gate	10:45	11:17	5:01	5:31

Arrived—Tuesday, Dec. 23.

SS Frederik VIII., Copenhagen, Dec. 9.
SS Quemstad, Genoa, Nov. 25.
SS Patria, Palermo, Dec. 7.
SS France, Havre, Dec. 16.
SS Gargoyle, Grangemouth, Dec. 1.
SS Kandahar, Dunkirk, Dec. 9.
SS Morro Castle, Havana, Dec. 19.
SS Margaret, San Juan, Dec. 17.
SS Lake Allen, Cienfuegos, Dec. 14.
SS Verona, Port Antonio, Dec. 6.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TODAY.		
President Grant	Brest	Dec. 11
Munamar	Antilla	Dec. 19
Giuseppi Verdi	Naples	Dec. 7
DUE TOMORROW.		
Belgic	Liverpool	Dec. 16
Caracas	San Juan	Dec. 20
Mauretania	Cherbourg	Dec. 19
Taormina	Naples	Dec. 9
DUE FRIDAY.		
Monterey	Havana	Dec. 21
Fort Hamilton	Bermuda	Dec. 24

Outgoing Steamships.

SAIL TODAY.	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Baltic, Liverpool	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Caronia, Plymouth	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Chicago, Bordeaux	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Duca d'Aosta, Naples	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Zulia, Curacao	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Muniedes, Matanzas	———	12:00 M.
SAIL FRIDAY.		
Esperanza, Vera Cruz	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Morro Castle, Havana	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Panama, Colon	12:00 M.	3:30 P.M.

Reported by Wireless.

CAPE RACE, N. F., DEC. 23.

SS Mauretania, incoming from Southampton, was signaled; due Dec. 25, forenoon. Cunard Line.

Foreign Ports.

Arrived.

SS Carpentura, at Brisbane, Dec. 18.
SS Re d'Italia, at Naples, Dec. 15.

Sailed.

SS United States, from Copenhagen, Dec. 23.
SS W. H. Tilford, from Antwerp, Dec. 19.
SS Maartensdijk, from Rotterdam, Dec. 20.
SS Eelbeck, from London, Dec. 23.
SS Bardic, from London, Dec. 22.

Passed.

SS Oconee, New York for Dunkirk, passed Isle of Wight.

Transpacific Mails.

Connecting mails close at G. P. O. and City Hall Stations at 6 P. M., as follows:
Hawaii, via San Francisco—SS Sachem .... Dec. 25
Japan, Korea, China, Siam, Cochin China, and Netherlands East Indies, via Seattle—SS Africa Maru .... Jan. 2
Hawaii, Samoan Islands, Australia and New Zealand, via San Francisco—SS Sonoma .... Jan. 8

PUBLIC NOTICES.

SIMPSON, SUSAN—WILL THE HUSBAND of Susan Simpson, formerly of 11th Av. and 50th St., get in touch immediately with the Franklin Savings Bank, 658 8th Av., New York? Any information as to his whereabouts kindly requested.

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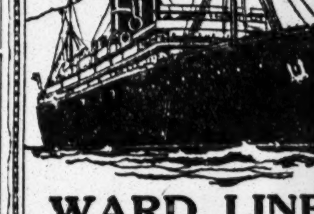
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BUSINESS WORLD

COMMERCIAL PAPER.

Yesterday ..... 6% for the best names
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The quotations are for six months' paper.

More Gray Goods Records Made.

Two new record prices for printcloths were established in the local gray goods market yesterday, when January-March deliveries of 39-inch 80 squares were sold at 31½ cents—the highest price ever paid for any printcloth construction—and spot 39-inch 6872s were disposed of at 25 cents. Additional quick delivery business was done on Eastern 38½-inch 64-60s at 20½ cents. Sheetings business for the day was not large, but it included five-yard goods at 18 cents for April-May delivery and 5-50s at 16 cents for January-March. Fine yarn cloths and clothing specialties were sold in varying quantities at full prices.

Oversold on Perfumes.

One French manufacturer of perfumes reports being oversold to the extent of 2,200 dozen bottles. While the situation is not so extreme in the case of other manufacturers, many of them, both foreign and domestic, are behind on production. Benjamin B. Stern, manager of the perfumery and toilet goods division of the Bush Terminal Sales Building, who has just returned from a trip through the Middle West, stated that the business outlook from the standpoint of these lines was never more favorable. During his trip Mr. Stern obtained a number of new accounts for his department, bringing the total to over a hundred.

Men's Neckwear Sold Up.

Manufacturers of men's neckwear cannot remember a holiday season that was more prosperous than the one just ending. Orders coming in during the last two days have swamped the local factories. It does not seem to be a question of what can be obtained but what there is to be got. Two months ago order books were closed because the manufacturers had taken on as much business as they could see their way clear to produce. Many of the factories have been working on a two or three nights a week overtime basis since then, and still there does not appear to be enough merchandise to go around. Neckwear, it was said yesterday, has featured more prominently in Christmas buying than ever before.

Selling Dress Goods.

The situation in dress goods is well illustrated in a recent instance. The representative of a mill called on a leading manufacturer and offered a fabric at $3.50 a yard. This had formerly sold at $1.75. The manufacturer was willing to pay $3, but the salesman held out for 50 cents more. On leaving the manufacturer, he said that the road men connected with the mill would offer the goods at $3.75 a yard, and if they did not sell at that figure the manufacturer could get them for the price he mentioned, namely, $3. There was indicated in this case, according to the manufacturer, the desire of the mill to sell to smaller houses which are not so disturbed over the situation that may arise because of high prices, and, if sales could not be made, to accept a lower price.

To Reopen House Furnishings.

Announcement was made yesterday at the Bush Terminal Sales Building that the house furnishings department, which has been closed as a result of the recent fire in the building, would be reopened on Jan. 15. The former exhibitors will have new samples to take the place of those damaged by the fire, and there will be a number of new lines added. James Taylor, manager of the department, said yesterday that house furnishings have been among the first things to benefit from the higher wages being paid. He reported that, in addition to an exceptionally heavy domestic demand, goods are being sampled in generous quantities by foreign countries. A recent order, for instance, coming from South America, Australia and New Zealand totaled $100,000.

Buying Clothing to Hold.

While some clothiers are of the opinion that there will be large orders taken for overcoats from retailers who will carry these garments over to next Fall, there are a good many others who fail to see how such operations can be carried out under the circumstances. At the present high prices every bit of capital, it was pointed out, must be worked overtime and can be tied up only at a risk. It was said yesterday that many retailers may find it necessary to sell some clothing in the Spring before they are in a position to meet their bills. If this is the case, it is not thought likely that much in the way of stocks to be carried over will be bought.

Lace Demand Is Picking Up.

While at the moment the demand for laces, like that for most other goods not strictly of a holiday nature, is marking time, it was said in the local trade yesterday that the business done in the first half of this month was considerably larger than had been done in a similar period for several years. The leaning of Parisian dress houses toward lingerie effects for the coming Spring and Summer, which leaning is reflected in many of the models that are being offered here for the new season, is held responsible for this. It is also expected to bring about the best Spring business in laces generally that has been seen since before the war.

Explains How It Is Done.

An explanation was made yesterday by one of the best-posted diamond men in the country of how a certain type of retail jewelry store can offer these stones at prices which make other retailers look like the worst kind of profiteers. "The explanation is really simple," he said. "In the first place, the man who advertises cheap diamonds does not really want to sell them. He uses them as bait to get people into his place. Once there, it is up to his clerks to sell them more expensive stuff, and unless they can do it they do not hold their jobs long. Rather than lose a sale, of course, retailers of this type will sell the advertised stones. They can do it and still make a good profit for the stuff is generally the kind of stones that are cut up into 'bort,' which is the trade name for diamonds used in drills and for other mechanical purposes. The average price of this stuff is around $50 a carat.

RUG AND CARPET PRICES.

Advances Are Shown on Those Issued for Spring Delivery.

Wholesale prices on carpets and rugs for Spring delivery, effective Jan. 1, which were issued yesterday by the Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet Company, show advances of about 10 per cent. over quotations made on similar goods at the opening of the season on Oct. 1. A list issued by the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Company was said to show average advances of about 5 per cent. In the case of the Smith Company orders at the new prices are accepted subject to their ability to ship by March 31. Unfilled orders on the books on Dec. 31 will be automatically canceled and will require reinstatement. The Bigelow-Hartford Company also gives March 31 as the final shipping date under the new list, but in this case orders unfilled at the close of this month will not be canceled. Unless otherwise instructed, the latter company will permit all unfilled orders to stand, with the understanding that goods shipped on them will be billed at the new prices.

The reasons for the advances were said to be the increased labor and raw materials costs that have come about since Oct. 1. Information concerning deliveries by the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Company in the Oct. 1-Jan. 1 period was not available, but the Smith Company's production for the three months in question was said to be only about 40 per cent. normal. Prospects for production between Jan. 1 and April 1 were said to be no better. For this the shortage of labor was held primarily responsible.

At the office of Stephen Sanford & Sons, Inc., it was said yesterday that the corporation was not prepared to issue a statement regarding prices after Jan. 1. However, an announcement in the near future is expected by the trade.

BUSINESS RECORDS.

In Town.

F. WILLIAM STOCKER, INC., dealer in machinery and engineering supplies at 50 Broad St., has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $10,036 and assets of $8,006, consisting of cash, $20; stock, $4,000; patents, copyrights, &c., $2,000, and accounts due, $1,986. Among the creditors are F. E. Montgomery, $2,498, and F. William Stocker, $2,938.

JOHN J. HASSETT of 158 East 50th St. has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $878 and no assets. John H. Coyle is a creditor for $517 on a judgment recovered on Aug. 19, 1915.

Out of Town.

Special to The New York Times.

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Dec. 23.—The Fred C. Mariner Co., which promoted a $600,000 terminal elevator project, marble and tile business here, is insolvent, according to a petition filed in the District Court today by 64 stockholders. A receiver was named. The liabilities are placed at $110,000.

Special to The New York Times.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 23.—Schedules in bankruptcy were filed in the United States Court here today for Dokaman & Zaroor, dealers in laces and Oriental goods. Action was taken under pressure from New York creditors. The firm schedules liabilities of $152,196 and places its assets at $177,643. The main item in the latter are "open account" claims amounting to $109,863 against some 300 individuals and firms.

New York City creditors include: Bandwil Bros., $8,902; Bacon & Co., $6,670; Converse Stanton Co., $4,749; Claflin & Co., $4,493; Coal and Iron National Bank, B. F. Bailey & Co., Butler Bros., Admiral Shirt Co., Hamra Bros., Hunter Manufacturing Commission Co., Walls Stebins & Co., George Durri & Sons, Tatum, Pinkham & Grey; Danzer & Nathan.

JUDGMENTS.

The following judgments were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

In New York County.
Amounts of $100 and over.

Atlantic Slate Works—Reuben H. Donnelley Corp.	$156.92
Auto Products Co., Peter Orance and John Conlon—W. Reisfeld	166.92
Barrett, Wm. M., Prest.—A. Anchor-star	15,171.50
Prenen, Edw. W.—Dalhstrom Metallic Door Co.	243.04
Barker, Louis and Sarah M.—B. J. Smith	449.30
Blumenthal, Charlotte — V. Rooney, costs	112.90
Bauman, William—L. Schwartzreich	2,232.90
Boericke, Harriet—Mark Cross Co.	245.50
Beardsley, Burdette J.—Lord & Taylor	395.30
Bloom, Rose—People, &c.	500.00
Bloom, Louis, by gdn.—H. Matz, costs	110.45
Cohen, Sadie, and Harry Katz—People, &c.	500.00
Carr, Ernest E.—A. F. Smith	431.92
Century Steel Co. of America—International High Speed Steel Co.	1,615.68
Climax Transp. Co.—City of N. Y.	273.20
Dewey Eng. Co.—Veronica Realty Corp.	566.20
Director General of Railroads—A. Gervaise	5,160.30
De Bobul, Eurana—United Electric Co.	264.47
Same—A. J. Buschmann Co.	515.00
Erie R. R. Co.—C. A. Siebert	2,977.56
Erickson, Clara C.—G. Eysser	161.70
Eastern Motor Sales Co. and Nicholas Sullivan—J. Polek	1,221.16
Fink, Elias—Kahan Clothing Co.	137.12
Fernandez, Pauline D.—Title Guarantee and Trust Co.	1,049.97
Fidler, Becky, and Harry Katz—People, &c.	500.00
Fried, Joseph—J. Prince	300.00
Foreign Products Co.—L. O. Clark	2,061.44
Fifty-eight and Sixty Manhattan Av. Corp.—M. Dickman	276.10
Fitzpatrick, Harry I.—F. Bender	567.58
Gray Seal Productions, Inc.—M. I. Goldman	133.61
Helm, Mornay D.—Fleming & Reavely, Inc.	217.58
Hartley, Thomas—Chesebro Bros., Inc.	151.11
Gramm-Bernstein Sales Corp.—Laurence Belting Co.	211.45
Hazzard, Irving—L. Strauss	481.92
Horwitz, Arthur J.—D. B. Goldsmith	635.41
Hill, Alonzo L.—S. L. Simon	330.20
Herbert, William—B. S. Coler	422.70
Hillman, Henry J.—Reuben H. Donnelley Corp.	149.42
Jansen, Adele—E. Van Chassen, costs	113.05
J. D. McQuade Co.—City of N. Y.	861.20
King, Evon and Harry Katz—People, &c.	500.00
Klein, Frederick E.—J. Prince	395.41
Kelyoc Cont. Co.—National Radiator Co.	831.27
Kasofsky, Isidor—J. De Milt	1,132.95
Same—A. Walsh	250.00
Same—F. Thompson	2,136.37
Oevenson, Bella—City of N. Y.	266.20
L. M. Acton Co., Inc.—H. F. Neilsen	35,650.59
Morris, Wm. J. and Sandy A. Ehrmann (National Surety Co.)—L. E. Felix	162.20
Moore, Ernest C.—City of N. Y., costs	105.50
Miller, Martha—People, &c.	500.00
Martinoff, I (Martinoff Bros. Co.)—Grecian Importing & Trading Co.	188.55
Mid Crosstown Ry. Co.—City of N. Y.	2,621.26
Same—Same	2,125.13
Same—same	477.38
Mazo, Julius and Sarah — Merchants' Nat. Bank	138.08
Moore, Clara—J. Cahill et al., costs	118.45
Nevins, Michael J.—Bankers' Commercial Corp.	884.75
Nat. League of Woman's Service, Inc., and Ethel Friedman—Great Eastern Casualty Co.	105.20
North Shore Gravel Co.—Electric Welding Co. of America	252.73
Nass, Jacob—H. Matz, costs	110.45
Same—H. Matz, costs	111.45
N. Y. Central & Hudson River R. R. Co.—City of N. Y., costs	395.66
Same—Same	395.66
Same—Same, costs	395.66
Ostovich, Stephen—L. M. Prince & Co.	1,057.16
Panzer, Charles—H. Matz, costs	110.45
Pope, Annette—People, &c.	500.00
Property Owners Coal Corp.—City of N. Y.	362.20
Public Wholesale Grocers' Co.—Domestic Soap Mfg. Co.	100.25
Republic Trading Co.—H. C. Pomerenk	954.65
Ressler, Nathan—Hoffman Dairy Co.	341.20
Rothenstein, David—H. B. Spelman	672.90
Sauer, Frederick, and Henry Kruspe—S. L. Raudenbush	1,470.38
Shankroff, Charles—M. Doerner et al., costs	109.35
Solomon, Samuel and Herman M., exrs.—Woman's Union Missionary Society	5,072.45
Stein, Rose, and Max Cohen—People, &c.	500.00
Tork, Shulem—Saal Bros.	149.72
Union Ry. Co. of N. Y. City—S. V. Cahill	108.55
Van Buskirk, Janet — Empire Square Realty Co.	261.80
Wenglinsky, Harry—S. Singer	131.65
Walker, James—B. Rosenzweig	123.65
Watt, James L.—Brooks Bros.	405.62
Wyburn, Lydia—F. X. Fallen	168.00
Watt, James L.—Pierce-Arrow Renting Co.	1,624.40
Wise, Frank—Director General of Railroads, costs	109.95

In Bronx County.

Auto Products Co., Peter Orance and John P. Conlon—W. Reisfeld	$166.27
Boccia, Ferdinando—A. Meyer	33.97
Bower, Erbest T.—M. Annan	17.72
Engelke, Nicholas H.—H. C. Knoeppel	92.60
Garrison Avenue Ice Co.—City of N. Y.	63.95
Grazinsky, Samuel, and John S. Greenbaum—H. Greenbaum	667.55
Kelyoc Contr. Co.—National Radiator Co.	831.27
Pine, Charles—Empire Fire Proof Door Co.	61.28
Reynols, James, and John T. McMahon—A. W. Pross	1,609.70
Ruzicka, Anna—N. Y. Produce Exchange Bank	57.85
Supino, Luigi—A. Meyer	26.60

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor and the date when the judgment was filed.

In New York County.

Nelson, Patsy, and National Surety Co.—People, &c., March 28, 1919	$2,500.00
Fitzsimmons, Thomas, and National Surety Co.—Same, Feb. 25, 1919	2,000.00
Spano, Steve, and National Surety Co.—Same, April 19, 1919	2,000.00
Kane, Mary, and National Surety Co.—Same, Nov. 21, 1919	500.00
Neville, Roy, and National Surety Co.—Same, Oct. 23, 1919	500.00
P. Ballentine & Sons—J. Chicory et al., Dec. 1, 1919	1,179.45
Katz, Benjamin—S. Druss et al., July 28, 1916	393.85
Winter, Louis, and Fidelity Deposit Co. of Md.—People, &c., Nov. 18, 1919	1,000.00
Barnard, Marshall and Ida B.—F. Behr, Jr., May 29, 1915	153.94
Chasanoff, Isidor—G. Lawyer, Nov. 7, 1919	4,145.07
Engel, Fred L.—M. M. Perkins, June 20, 1919	198.45
Carr, Charles H.—W. R. Yard, Oct. 29, 1914	679.42
Froelich, Theodore H.—H. M. Carpenter, May 18, 1915	378.73
Fire Brokers Association of the City of N. Y. et al.—Mfrs. & Dealers Motor Underwriters, Inc., June 13, 1919	351,541.50
Labate, J. Vincent, and Alfonso Lambosa—Polly Bros. Co., Aug. 25, 1913	151.24
Same—C. N. Gates Co., Dec. 5, 1913	206.91
Michels, William—F. Randall, Dec. 14, 1915	218.41
Van Dyke Estate Co.—J. C. Levinsohn, Feb. 6, 1919	320.16
Matza, Samuel—M. De Meto, Dec. 4, 1919	316.91
Salderwich, Simon, and Elizabeth K. Chadwick—Beacon Film Co., May 16, 1914, canceled	214.65
Lambroso, Alfonso — Italian Importing Co., Dec. 2, 1914, canceled	364.78
Same—Pietro and Enrico Navone, April 2, 1914, canceled	150.50
Same—H. Lagarde, Feb. 17, 1914, canceled	331.91
Lambroso, Alfonzo, and Vincenzo Labate — Italian-Swiss Colony, Sept. 5, 1913, canceled	405.05
Crommette, Jessie B.—F. B. Elsner, Sept. 21, 1914, vacated	106.06
Chelsea Bakery & Lunch Co., Inc.—A. Anderson, Dec. 22, 1919, vacated	1,236.31
Runde, Josephine—M. J. Bicak, May 23, 1912, reversed	169.72
Samonwitz, Max—F. Schulz, April 30, 1910	103.07
Kohlman, Martin—City of N. Y., March 27, 1914	265.61
Hasbrouck, John—J. F. Nune, Dec. 12, 1919	112.53

BUYERS' WANTS.

Ten cents per word each insertion.

ANIMOLE and all kinds of ply fabrics wanted. Michael Bros., 115 West 29th.

ARTHUR JOEL GOODS Wanted—Style 9779, shade 2626, style 400 shades 225, 226, 224, 228. Manufacturer, Vanderbilt 4634-1389.

BARONET SATINS Wanted—36 inch and 40 inch, all colors. Republic Textile, 22 W. 32d.

BOLIVIAS Wanted—Manufacturer open for Stevens 6116 Bolivias, all colors; submit shades and lowest price. Box M-1214, 1,270 Broadway.

BROADCLOTH Wanted—Style 112, shades 317, 329, 318, 314, 313, 302, 319, 163; any quantity. Gramercy 2452.

BROADCLOTH Wanted—Botany 362, original tickets; quantities. M. W. Levine & Co., 45 West 25th. Watkins 4072.

BROADCLOTH Wanted—Style 112, shades 317, 329, 318, 314, 313, 302, 319, 163; any quantity. Gramercy 2452.

BROADCLOTHS Wanted—American, 112, all colors. Robert Hammer, 1,123 Broadway. Watkins 7884.

BROADCLOTHS Wanted—Americans 112; will pay $2.75 net cash. Phone Orchard 5302.

BROADCLOTHS Wanted—White, botany, or similar. Mad. Sq. 4540, Ext. 14.

CHARMEUSES Wanted—Any quantity; spot cash; call with samples. Store, 34 East 29th.

CHECK VELOUR Wanted—Stevens's 2828, D. & M. 34; can use quantity. Haft, Watkins 6134.

CLOTH Wanted—Three-quarter goods, cotton warp, velours, &c., suitable for Fall children's coats. Spring 4846.

COATS AND SUITS Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring suits and sport coats. 129 West 29th, 3d floor. Watkins 4717.

COATS Wanted—Spot cash for 8,000 Fall coats, any quantity; jobs; big lots preferred. Watkins 5154.

COATS Wanted—Large jobber placing stock orders on Spring coats. Call 14 East 27th, 6th floor.

COTTON NETS, Crepe, Chiffons Wanted—All counts. Levy, 5 Union Sq. Stuyvesant 7837.

COTTON PLUSH Wanted—Reed's, all qualities and colors; also Kelly's velours, 354, 3000 navy, brown, green. Murray Hill 2269.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—Flesh and white, 3-thread, 72 pick, or more 4-thread. Gordon & Shuval, 100 5th Av.

CREPES Wanted—Three thread colors, also Eagle 37. Essanay, 348 4th Av. 2d floor.

CREPE DE CHINE AND SATIN wanted in pink, for cash. Freydberg, 85 5th Av.

DRESSES Wanted—One of the largest New York jobbers looking at new Spring models, ready to place orders georgettes, satins, taffetas, crepe meteors, and printed georgettes, ranging from $16.50 to $45; only contractors that produce snappy merchandise call between 3-5 P. M. 14 East 27th, 6th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber is now placing stock orders on both popular and high-grade georgette, taffeta, serge, tricotine, meteor, crepe de chine, party and novelty fabrics dresses; submit samples 9 to 12:30 daily. 5th floor, 28 West 33d St.

DRESSES Wanted—We will buy for cash jobs, any quantity satin, serges, tricotines, velveteens or party dresses; submit samples daily 9 to 5:30. 5th floor, 28 West 33d St.

DRESSES, Suits, Winter Coats, Waists, Skirts, Silk Underwear Wanted—Better grade jobs; cash. National, 15 Lispenard. Canal 1447.

DRESSES Wanted—Will buy job serges and tricotines; quantity no object; spot cash. 12 West 32d St., 7th floor.

DRESSES AND COATS Wanted—10,000, at $5 and $7, for export. P. Levin, care of K. & M., 144 West 27th. Watkins 3788.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at better grade georgettes, foulards, taffetas, satins, and tricolettes. 56 East 34th, first floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Contractors with samples on georgettes, taffetas and charmeuse; call all week. 79 5th Av., Room 1611.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing stock orders on georgette, taffeta, and satin dresses. 18 West 27th, 9th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobbers placing stock orders on latest styles in cotton voiles. 137 West 27th, 12th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing stock orders on georgettes, taffetas, tricotines, printed voiles. Ruchman, 220 5th Av.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at tricotine, Jersey, and cloth dresses. Call all week, 11 East 31st, third floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at afternoon and evening dresses; call all week. 63 West 36th, 6th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at high-grade dresses. Call with samples. 11 West 31st, 4th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber open for satin, serges, tricotines; any amount, for cash. 9 West 31st, first floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Cotton, taffetas, georgettes; placing orders. 65 4th Av. 4th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Buying all kinds, quantities, for cash. Chic Made, 15 West 30th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobs; all materials for cash. 234 5th Av., 3d floor, rear.

DRESSES, Suits, Coats, Capes Wanted—Highest grade; cash. Telephone Canal 1128.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring dresses. Room 800, 170 5th Av.

FLANNELETTE Wanted—Quality Government cloth, $3.50 36-inch blue stripe; low figure. M. Berzer, 1,133 Broadway. Chelsea 178.

GEORGETTES, Taffetas and Satins Wanted—All shades, any quantity. Newman Bros., 42 W. 17th.

GEORGETTES Wanted—Open for large quantity of high shades; price below $2. La Rose, 25 West 32d St.

GEORGETTE AND DRESS SILK Wanted—Large and small quantities. Room 75, 31 East 27th.

GEORGETTES and Taffetas Wanted—Open to buy quantity for cash. Chelsea 2275.

GEORGETTES Wanted—Quantity. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

GEORGETTES, Crepe de Chines wanted. Jablin & Jacobs, 456 4th Av., Mad. Sq. 9498.

GEORGETTES Wanted—At a price. Goldberg & Rosenblatt, 137 West 25th.

GEORGINES Wanted—In quantities; immediate delivery; spot cash. Curley Waist Co., 145 Greene St.

GINGHAM Wanted—Open for quantity small check, Amoskeag or York; spot cash. N. Y. Dress & Costume Co., 35 West 35th St.

GINGHAMS Wanted—Plain, checks or plaids, small or large quantities. Gerson-Kaufman, 368 6th Av., corner 23d St.

GINGHAMS Wanted—All makes. Berliner Costume Co., 18 West 32d St.

JAPS, Foulards, Tub Silks Wanted—Printed; for cash. Bernstein, 63 West 36th.

MACKINAWS Wanted—American or McKenny's; also ¾ coatings. J. W., 235 Times.

MOHAIRS Wanted—Plain colors or fancies, 52 inches wide. L 289 Times.

NAINSOOK Wanted—76-72 30-inch combed yarn, white or flesh. M. Berzer Co., 1,133 Broadway. Chelsea 178.

PEACH BLOOM Wanted—Forstmann, Hoffman black, peach bloom. Manufacturer, Vanderbilt 4634-1389.

PENCIL STRIPES SERGES Wanted—Can use quantity. Haft, 104 West 27th St. Farragut 6134.

PLUSHES Wanted—We are open to buy silk plushes, any reliable make, for cash; no lot too small, none too large. Call Watkins 3264.

PLUSHES Wanted—Ungava, Hudson seal, Hudson Bay seal skin fur and others, for cash. Gramercy 1074.

PLUSH Wanted—Peco H. & H., any quantity; will pay cash. Savitzky-Cummings Co., Watkins 361.

PLUSH Wanted—All makes. I. Novick, 45 West 27th. Watkins 9644.

PLUSHES AND POPLINS Wanted—J. Korostoff & Sons, 12 West 21st.

PLUSH Wanted—Peco and other kinds. Watkins 9386, 9387.

PLUSH Wanted—Peco, Peerless H. & H. 4014. Chelsea 9724.

POLO CLOTH Wanted—Manufacturer open for Deland's 1920 polo cloth, also Lawrence 923, all colors; submit colors and lowest price. Box M-1214, 1,270 Broadway.

POLO Wanted—American 15035, all shades, and De Land's H. Range or anything that's similar. A. Rosenberg, 1,333 Broadway. Greeley 4848.

POLO CLOTH Wanted—Lawrence 923, Deland's 22, tan and reindeer. Harry Kitzinger & Co., Greeley 2080.

POLO CLOTHS Wanted—Quantity Spring shades at a price. Turetzky & Miller, 22 W. 24th St. Gramercy 381.

POLO Wanted—Deland's, Lawrence, and Buckley & Cohen; Spring shades, any quantity. Chelsea 6018.

POLO CLOTH Wanted—Lawrence 923, Delaines 1920, Buckley & Cohen 620; can use quantity. Watkins 4089.

POLO CLOTH AND VELOURS Wanted—All colors and all makes. Vasser Co., 129 West 22d St.

POLO CLOTH Wanted—Lawrence, 923, all shades, cash. Newmann, 137 West 27th. Chelsea 4814.

POLO CLOTH Wanted—Deland's 9600, Buckley & Cohen's, Stevens 0388. Madison Square 3388.

POLO CLOTH Wanted—Stevens, all shades, for cash. Levine & Soloff, 162 West 21st.

POLO CLOTH Wanted—Buckley & Cohn 711, shades 97, 125. Chelsea 4814.

POPLINS Wanted—All wool, navy, Pekin, tan, any good quality. Louis B. Lieberman. Watkins 2930.

POPLINS Wanted—Tan poplins, tan peau de cygne; call immediately. Samuel Gelb, 19 West 21st St.

POPLIN Wanted—American 90610, quantity, for cash; also polo and tricotines. Gramercy 1074.

POPLINS Wanted—30 pieces, 40-inch, fancy striped Susquehanna, for cash. Orchard 255.

POPLIN Wanted—All colors and all makes. Call Stuyvesant 527.

POPLINS Wanted—American, Stevens or similar. Hirsch & Bro., 153 West 27th.

SATEENS Wanted—36-inch black, submit prices and samples. Denver Maid Garment Co., Barnett Bldg., Denver, Col.

SATIN Wanted—Open for quantity gray cotton back satin for cash. H. Goldman & Co., 26 West 17th. Chelsea 5155.

SATIN WASH SATIN Wanted—Eagle preferred, for cash; must be cheap. Cohen, Madison Square 123.

SATINS Wanted—36 and 40 inches wide. Gold, Store, 22 West 33d.

SATINS Wanted—36 to 40 inches; any quantity; cash. Madison Square 2673.

SECO Wanted—Quantity. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

SERGES Wanted—C. S. G., P. P. S., W. S. G., R. W. S., F. R. S., N. D. S. L. 4200, 75, all shades and quantities. Ask for Sarner, Murray Hill 2269.

SERGES Wanted—Botany, Juilliard, Garfield, Whitman, Gera, Amoskeag, American, U. S., any quality; cash. Gramercy 588.

SERGES Wanted—0036, 1464, 833, 100 pieces of each. Miltex Woolen Co. Madison Square 3047, 4351.

SERGES Wanted—54289, tan, taupe, Burgundy and Rookie. Alper Bros., 153 West 27th.

SERGES Wanted—528, 54289, 7120, brown and taupe, for cash. H. Wolfenson, 256 5th Av.

SERGES Wanted—4002, 1210, 87, 7120, 104, 11433, No. 9, 99; also tricotines and polo cloth. Madison Square 843.

SERGES Wanted—4061, navy, brown, copen, 54289, SBGL, VSL. Call 125 East 23d, Room 51.

SERGE Wanted—Open for any quantity navy Botany 11433; must be cheap. Greeley 1544.

SERGES Wanted—4040, 54289, 7120. Leading Skirt Co., 20 West 33d. Penn. 2897.

SERGES Wanted—833, 0936, 235, 104, 11433, 4652, 9, 99. Gramercy 1815.

SERGES Wanted—0936, 7301, MFL; quantity for cash. Gramercy 4158.

SERGE Wanted—Rookie 0936, color 966 or similar. Mad. Sq. 1969.

SERGES Wanted—6301, 7301, all shades and quantities. Murray Hill 2269.

SERGES Wanted — 54289. Call Stuyvesant 5474.

SILKS Wanted—Fancies, satins, taffetas, georgettes; crepe de chines; also odds ends; any quantity; cash. Store, 34 East 29th. Madison Square 2673.

SILKS Wanted—Susquehanna poplins, single and 3-ply also taffeta and satins; any quantity; spot cash. 3d floor, 244 5th Av.

SILKS Wanted—Open for quantity changeable taffetas and messalines; must be good assortment of colors. Greeley 1294.

SILK REMNANTS Wanted—Any quantity; cash; also velvets, woolens. Madison Square 4941.

SILKS Wanted—Satins, messalines, taffetas, pongees, georgettes, foulards. Call Madison Square 1804.

SILK REMNANTS Wanted—Any quantity. Call Madison Square 1803.

SILVERTONES and Goldtones Wanted—Pekin and reindeer. I. Novick, 45 W. 27th. Watkins 9644.

SILVERTONE Wanted—Cotton warp and velours cotton warp; heavy weight. Spring 4846.

SILVERTONES Wanted—Stevens's 4315, 4318, 3032, or similar; can use quantities. Haft, Watkins 6134.

SILVERTONES Wanted—Stevens's 2821 and 4312; all shades. Spring 8676.

SILVERTONES Wanted—15030, 15032, all shades. Murray Hill 2269.

SKIRTS Wanted—Jobber buying wash and silk skirts. 1st floor, 19 West 35th.

SUEDINES Wanted—13058 American, for cash. Phone Gramercy 4481-4482.

SUITS Wanted—Exclusive jobber placing orders on suits and coats. Call all day, 19 West 24th, 10th floor.

TAFFETA Wanted—Open for 100 pieces taffeta, all shades and quality. Superior Silk Co., 225 5th Av.

TAFFETAS, Georgette, Satin Wanted—Will buy any quantity for cash. 12th floor, 135 West 27th.

TAFFETAS Wanted—All colors, big quantity. Zuck & Gordon, 43 W. 33d St.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Quantity. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

TAFFETA Wanted—Brown, for cash; must be reasonable. B. Cohen, 127 West 125th.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Prominent manufacturer open for the following makes: Gera 10854, 50341, Lorraine 3683, Joel 9541, 6308, Grier, Krieger, Groffer; submit quantities and lowest price. Box M-1214, 1,270 Broadway.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Open for any quantity navy U. S. 907; must be cheap. Greeley 1544.

TRICOTINE Wanted—All makes. Leading Dress Co., 65 West 36th.

TRICOTINES AND SERGES Wanted—Bring swatches. Rothblum-Goldberg, 6 West 32d.

TRICOTINES Wanted—American Gera and U. S. for spot cash. Chelsea 251.

TRICOTINE Wanted—American, Garfield, F. & H. Delands. Murray Hill 3912.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Navy. Max Levine, 142 West 26th.

VELOURS Wanted—All wool Kelly Watson, 300-52; also polo cloth, light and heavyweight; all shades. Murray Hill 2269.

VELOUR Wanted—Talbot 100, Merrimack 3018, or similar Pekin, tan, reindeer. Newmann, 137 West 27th.

VELOUR CHECKS Wanted—Bochman's, all shades; also coverts and Roshanara crepe. Madison Square 8508.

VELOUR Wanted—Parker Wilder 551, all shades, any quantity for cash. Greeley 6172.

VELOURS Wanted—Reindeer, in Buckley and Cohen or similar quality. Madison Sq. 9784.

VELVET Wanted—Open to buy millinery; state quality, quantity, colors, and price. S. S., 801 Times Downtown.

VELVETS Wanted—Chiffon Lyons, panne, quantity. B. Sternfeld & Co., 409 4th Av. Madison Square 6216.

VENETIANS Wanted—Black and colors, 32 inches or wider. L 290 Times.

WAISTS Wanted—Jobber looking all week at line of Spring waists, georgettes, of the better grade. 1,134 Broadway, 5th floor.

WOOL VELOURS AND KERSEY Wanted—Can use large quantities wool mixed or all wool velours and kerseys; colors, navy, brown, taupe, black; will pay cash. Write or phone Wolf Manufacturing Co., 875 Broadway. Stuyvesant 6964.

WOOLENS Wanted—Open to buy any quantity light and heavy weight men's and women's wear; spot cash. Telephone 9697 Spring. Elias Surut & Son, 670 Broadway.

Contracts Wanted.

CONTRACTOR of scarfs, shams, doilies, table cloth, panels, &c.; can spare as many machines wanted. L 301 Times.

MANUFACTURER operating 30 machines is looking for work on misses', juniors', and children's coats; good work guaranteed. T 13 Times.

OFFERINGS TO BUYERS.

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AMERICAN SPRING COLORS—Irenello 0344, goldtone 21221, Joel's 400, 500, 600, tricotine Gera 50841, Poiret twill 50236, duvetynes 50353; also Spring velours and bolivias. Chelsea 3246.

BATHROBES—Men's, ladies', children's; immediate delivery. Criterion Specialty, 20 West 22d.

BROADCLOTHS—Botany, 315 and 862 tan, Copenhagen, reindeer, and gray. H. Elson, 11 West 25th St.

BUTTONS—Big job, very cheap for almost nothing. 1161 Broadway, Room 400.

CAMISOLES—400 dozen for immediate delivery; also jobs. Lieberman & Elfant, 64 West 23d. Gramercy 4677.

CHARMEUSE—Two pieces dark navy, 40 inch; $2.85 per yard. Harlem 2206.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES—In taffeta and silk poplins; close out cheap. Geria, 95 Greene. Spring 963.

CHILDREN'S COATS—300, in velour and thibets, 2-6, 7-10; great bargain for January sales. Chas. Koch, 513 Broadway. Spring 1083.

CHILDREN'S COATS — 500; closing out. Kamins & Friedland, 34 West 28th.

CHINCHILLA—Satin, also ppaulettes, 36 and 48 inches wide. Watkins 8647.

COATEES—Close out of plush, mole, Hudson bay and Formosa coatees of the better grade. R. Simon & Co., 23 West 26th.

COATEES AND COATS—On racks to close out. W. Phillips & Co., 145 West 28th.

COATEES AND COATS—Best sellers, very low price. I. Novick, 45 West 27th.

COATEES—Plush, Ungava, seal, beaver, fur effects; cheap. Hutner, 48 West 25th.

COATEES AND COATS—In stock; very low price. I. Novick, 45 West 27th.

COATS AND COATEES—Plush, Yukon and Baffin seal, better-grade, trimmed with black opossum, raccoon, Australian, beaver and plain; snappy styles; immediate delivery. Rosen & Newman, 138 West 17th St.

COATS—Handsome Bolivia coats, beautiful raccoon and nutria fur collars; also coatees of Hudson Bay plush and polo cloth; specially priced for January sales. Cohen-Edelman, 35 West 31st.

COATS—80 silvertones, velours, pompoms, fur trimmed; regular prices $35 to $50; closing out for $22.75 net 10. Etkin, 106 West 32d St.

COATS—Closing out fur and plain trimmed velours, silvertone, polo, attractive styles at right prices. Eisen & Son, 122 West 26th.

COATS—Spring coats, sport and long coats, also stouts, ready for out-of-town jobber. Newmann, 137 West 27th St.

COATS AND COATEES—In cotton plush, 2,000; all styles to close out. Ulin Bros., 34 East 12th St.

COATS—Children's, to close out, sizes 8-14, silvertone, velour, and cloth; very cheap for your January sales. Stern, 116 West 22d.

COATS—Leatherette, any quantity, for immediate delivery. Attinson & Goldstein, 19 East 17th. Stuyvesant 5739.

COATS—350 stout coats to close out. J. Dunn, 127 West 28th.

COATS—Plush, stylish stouts and regular sizes, full lengths, plain, fur trimmed; cheap. Hutner, 48 West 25th.

COATS—To close out, beautiful cloth coats, in desirable material. Zucker, 32 East 31st, 10th floor.

COATS—Job of children's coats, close out cheap, sizes 8 to 14. B. Glekel & Co., 484 6th Av.

COATS—Bolivia fur trimmed coats to close out at sacrifice price. Supreme Manufacturing, 19 West 24th.

COATS, Suits—Large assortment, to close out at big reduction. Bernstein, 115 West 27th.

COATS—Fur trimmed, all silk lined; wonderful value to close out at $22.75. Louis Bloom, 41 West 33d.

COATS—Infants' and children's, to close out at a low price. Faultless Garment Corp., 113 West 17th.

COATS—Infants' and children's white corduroy, reasonable. Sternberg Bros., 38 West 18th.

COTTON GOODS—Quantity flannel, satines, printed voiles, &c., for sale by exporter at less than mill prices. Telephone Franklin 2377-6.

COTTON GOODS, 38x30, $8.50, mercerized finish, 40; 76x72, 39, lawn finish, 40. Orchard 669. Call 9:30.

CREPE DE CHINES—All colors. Phone Madison Square 1560.

DENIMS, Lane's blue, $2.45; 10,000 yards. L 288 Times.

DRESSES—Closing out at a sacrifice 600 twill-back Worrall-dyed velveteen dresses; exceptional opportunity for a high-class January sale of dresses; this offering must be seen to be appreciated. Imperial Cloak, 17 West 28th St.

DRESSES—Spring line for jobbers now ready, immediate delivery; splendid styles, big values; $8.75 to $18.50; also booking orders on cotton voiles and ginghams. Solomon & Kramer, 119 West 23d. Watkins 6981.

DRESSES for Jobbers—Our Spring line of georgettes, crepe de chines, serges, satins, tricotines, taffetas, $10.75 to $37.50, overshadows all previous records in giving real values. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

DRESSES—1,000 georgette satin taffeta and serge dresses to close out; it will pay you to call at our showroom and see the splendid values. Sunray Dress House, 15 West 20th St., 6th floor.

DRESSES—Wonderful styles, street and evening; reasonable price, to close out. American Costume Co., 116-118 West 29th.

DRESSES—Taffetas, satins, serges, jerseys, georgettes, $8.75 to $13.75, jobs to close. Loeb Nussbaum, 119 West 23d.

DRESSES—1,500 all navy serges at $6.75; also 50 pieces black taffeta. Skudwitz, 129 West 29th.

DRESSES — Tricotines, serges, jerseys, satins, to close out before taking inventory. Ruby, 7 West 30th.

DRESSES—To close below cost, party velvets, fine tricotines. Riveria, 2 East 29th.

DRESSES—We cater to jobbers only specializing on tricollette dresses. W. & B. Dress, 30 West 21st.

DRESSES—Satin and serges, to close out. Congress Waist & Dress Co., 32 West 20th.

DRESSES—Jobs tricotines, tricolettes, serge, jersey, satins. Paragon, 13 West 27th.

DRESSES—Party and satins, to close out. Michael Simon, 334 5th Av., on 33d St.

DRESSES—Closing out; all kinds at one-half value; chic made. 15 West 30th.

DRESSES—Satin and serges to close out. Golde Dress Co., 43 West 27th.

DRESSES—Job of Spring dresses, to close out. Capitol Dress, 44 East 8th.

DRESSES—Serges, 200, to close out; $4.75. Lauretta, 8 West 29th.

DRESSES—Job for sale. M. & J. Alpern, 26 West 27th.

DUVETYNS—All silk, colored, interesting price. Watkins 3647.

FLANNEL—Olive drab shirting flannel, 800 yards; Arlington Mills. X 4 Times Annex.

FURS—Closing out 300 dog muffs and 800 dog scarfs very cheap. Vr. Fuchs, 440 6th Av.

GEORGETTES—Rogers-Thompson 3-thread; very reasonable. Barbwray Textile Co., 605 Broadway. Spring 8284.

GEORGETTES—35 pieces to close out, good quality, $2, 8 off cash. A Rosenbeck, 38 West 32d St.

GEORGINES—Printed, bisque, flesh, white; at a price. Freeport Silk, 37 East 28th.

GINGHAMS, Chambrays, Flannels, Percales, &c. Central Mills, 78 Franklin St.

HOISERY—Must sacrifice large quantity ladies' and men's silk and mercerized; firsts and seconds. Quinto Co., 1,123 Broadway.

JAP SILKS—Natural 8½-5 mome, good values; colors in stock. Banner Fabrics, 27 West 24th. Chelsea 7669.

JAP SILKS—Natural and all colors in stock; cheaper than market price. Clifton Mills, 11 East 17th.

KHAKI COATING—28 oz.; also khaki shirting; in quantities. Beekman 1804.

LEATHERETTE — Guaranteed waterproof, best fabric for coats. Kallman Textile Co., Chelsea 4050.

LINING—Paisley's printed and brocade. 137 West 27th, 1st floor.

MEN'S NECKWEAR—Big bargain, 2,000 dozen. 621 Broadway, Room 317, Telephone Spring 7764.

MOLESKIN AND SUEDE — Leatherized, about 5,000 yards. Attinson & Goldstein, 19 East 17th. Stuyvesant 5739.

POIRET TWILL—Gera's 50076, 50236, Selross 342. Madison Square 2639-4622, Grossman Co.

POIRET TWILL—Quantity, navy, Selros 342; below market. Madison Square 4731.

PLAIDS—Peuret, good colors. Garsson, 220 5th Av., Madison Square 2804.

POLO CLOTH—Serges, tricotine, all wool and cotton warp, poiret twills, silvertones, tweed suiting, Spring shades velour, at reasonable prices. Norman Woolen Co., 48 West 21st. Chelsea 9917.

POLO CLOTH—Buckley & Cohen, style 620, shade 1, 3 pieces; shade 2, 2 pieces. Chelsea 7920.

POLO CLOTH—Buckley & Cohen 620, shades 1, 2, 3, 5; reasonable. Newmann, 137 West 27th.

POLO CLOTH—Gold tone American 21221, 16011, 15030, 15032, 16007. Gramercy 1807.

POLO—Stewards 601, all shades; reasonable. 137 West 27th, 1st floor.

POLO CLOTH—Delands 3,800, all colors; also 9600. Call Stuy. 4846.

POLO CLOTH—1920; shade 2, 5, 7, 8, H22. Chelsea 7640.

POPLIN—Printed, all colors, $1.20. Freeport Silk, 37 East 28th.

RADIO TWILLS—F. & H., all shades; cheap. Chelsea 7929.

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SATINS—Chinchilla; have for sale navy, black, and other colors. Telephone Mr. Murray, Pennsylvania 8168.

SATIN CHARMEUSE—A. Migel moonglo satin, also moonglo satin crepe; good quality. Watkins 3290.

SATIN—Migel's Moon-Glo; double, extra quality, black, navy, taupe; large quantity. Bryant 4654.

SERGES AND POPLINS—Also high shades, 7614, 7301, 7120; Botany 833, 780; Cleveland 9057, 9288; Whitman's 99, 87, 113, 1200, Gera 9056, 7008; WLP, BPNL, MFL, VSL, WFX, WF, SBGL, SPA, XX, DRW, Juilliard 4061, 54289, 54296, 5607, 5608, 5609, 5611, 5612; Huebshman's 41x31; also big variety of Jamestown, Cleveland, and Broadhead all-wool and cotton warp plaids. Henry Samson, 656 Broadway. Spring 2716.

SERGES AND TRICOTINES—9, 99, 833, 4632, 7120, 9056, Folwell 463, tricotines 3304, 1580, 1583, 50841, 5002, cotton warp tricotines; big selection of plaids and checks. H. Pantuch, 251 4th Av. Gramercy 5148.

SERGES—Tricotines, Poiret twills, 0936, 1464, 519, 104, 7512, 11433, 54292, 528, 7120, 9056, 833, 54289, 7301, 907, 0388, 50036, 50236, 342. Madison 4622-2639. Grossman Co.

SERGES—0036, 235, 838, 3715, 9058, 11433, 11, 104, 528, 4061, 54289, 54206; also a large assortment of tricotines. George Hoffspiegel, 46 East 21st St. Gramercy 1913.

SERGES, Tricotines, Velours, Polo, Plaids, Broadcloth, Silvertones, Cheviots—all up-to-the-minute styles. Evans Bros., 404 4th Av. Madison Square 292.

SERGES AND TRICOTINES—30 pieces 907, 40 pieces 0036, 25 pieces 7120. Watkins 9342.

SERGES—235, 819, 3649, 54292, 528, 9056, 519, 104, 1464, 833, 4002. Gramercy 1809, 6726.

SERGES—7614, 7312, 15032; reasonable. H. Cohen Co., 1,123 Broadway. Chelsea 9052.

SHIRTINGS—Silk and cotton mixtures, 150 pieces, below 70c per yard; closing out. 3d floor, 244 5th Av.

SHIRTING—Tub silk, for sale. S. & S. Collar Co., 17 East Houston St.

SILKS—Big stocks, georgettes, printed pussy-willow, taffetas, charmeuses, crepe de chines, to be sold at lowest prices today only before taking inventory. Samuel Liebman, 433 4th Av., Ma. Sq. 9273.

SILKS—Job lot of Skinner's white satin, 1,200 yards; also black and white cotton back, piece dye; cheap for cash. Warshaw Bros., 33 West 3d.

SILKS—200 pieces Susquehanna poplin 171 at $1.10; also taffetas, stripes and plaids, $1.75 up. 3d floor, 244 5th Av.

SILKS—High shade messalines, peau de cygnes, gray, navy, reasonable. Hessner & Spiro. Watkins 464.

SILKS—Newest Spring design in printed Japs and foulards for cash. Telephone 3670 Pennsylvania.

SILKS—Black taffetas, peau de cygnes and poplins, all colors. Harrison Skirt, 38 West 21st.

SILKS—Bargains taffetas, satins, georgettes, crepes 1974. Victory Broad Silk, 225 5th Av.

SILK TRICOT—Several qualities, for petticoats and underwear. Becker, Amsterdam, N. Y.

SILKS—Peau de cygne, gray, 8 navy, 3 black, below market price. Call Penn. [illegible]

SILVERTONES AND GOLDTONES—Arthur Joel 500, 501, 327, 555; Saxonia 986; Juilliard 2124; also others in all shades. Henry Samson, 656 Broadway. Spring 2716.

SILVERTONES AND VELOURS—Stoney & Starkey 320, Botany 5816, Geras 50833, Wyandotte 210, Merrimack 3018, all Spring shades. Madison Square 2660.

SILVERTONES—American 15030, 15032, Otsquechee 114; also light and heavy weight velours, all desirable shades. Boston Woolen Mills, 29 East 22d. Gramercy 4461.

SKIRTS—4,000 skirts on hand, big assortment of plaids, poplins, serges and panamas; guaranteed; big bargain. Samuel Braverman, 132 West 21st.

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SKIRTS—Plaids, novelty checks, to close out. Correct Skirt, 53 Allen.

SUITS—Closing out fur and plain trimmed suits, coats, and tricotine dresses of the better kind. Fensterstock & Schneir, 1,210 Broadway.

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SUITS AND COATS—To close out. Rosengarten, 11 East 31st.

TAFFETAS—Black, 10 pieces, $1.85 regular. Essanay, 348 4th Av., 2d floor.

TAFFETAS—Colors and black. Gramercy 2460. Cordwain Mills, 30 East 21st.

TAFFETA—Navy and colors; 25 pieces. Chic Dress, 15 West 30th.

TRICOLETTES—Naday & Fleischer, all colors; large quantity. Bryant 4654.

TRICOTINES, Gabardines, and Poiret Twills—Also black, Garfield's 4718, Garfield's gabardine 4866, Juilliard 5615, Gera 10854, 50841; also Gera poiret twills, U. S. 907, American 0388, Merz 6882, Goff 3304, Botany 5052, Martin 1136; also Goff cotton warp tricotine 4101. Henry Samson, 656 Broadway, Spring 2716.

TRICOTINES—F. & H., Garfield, Deland, Andrew, Joel's Earlston, Gera, Priestley, Fastolite. 24 East 21st, Room 801. Gramercy 1899, 6726.

TRICOTINES—Heubschman's 11-040 navy; very fine quality; will sell reasonable. Mad. Square 8079.

TRICOTINES—Navy, 4718, 8030, 5036, 528; rookie, 348; serge, 3715; navy, 342. Madison Square 8508.

TRICOTINES—0388, 0936, Deland 817, 09077, Scotia serges 0310. Majestic Textile, 24 East 21st St.

TRICOTINES—Quantity Goss 36-inch cotton warp, style 4201. Madison Square 5882.

TRICOTINE—American U. S., Strand, Greer, serge, 836, 0936. Madison Square 6924.

TRICOTINE—9077, also Gabardine 4066. Chelsea 4597.

TRICOTINE—Garfield 4718, navy, to close out cheap. Madison Square 939.

TRICOTINES, SERGES—907, 911, 833, 0936, 336 Collingwood. Gramercy 1807.

TRICOTINES—Garfield's 4718, navy, 16 pieces. Madison Square 5028.

TRICOTINES—Domino weave, 10 navys, 2 tans, 1 black. Chelsea 7929.

TRICOTINE—Brightwoods 5036, 25 pieces; sponged. Watkins 2980.

TRICOTINES—Botany 5052, navy. Telephone Madison Square 5344.

TUSSAH—Printed, in all colors, for immediate delivery. Kallman Textile Co., Chelsea 4650.

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ARMY SOCKS—All wool, about 200 dozen, cheap. Murray Hill 2269.

BEADED LADIES' BAGS—Unframed; 6 different designs; lot of 300 to close out cheap. Enterprise Novelty Co., 8 West 29th.

BEADED BAGS—Shipment of German and Italian goods. Yarn Products Co., 182 5th Av.

BEADED BAGS—Manufacturer disposing of samples; imported, domestic. Edelman, 7 West 22d.

CLOTHING—Stock consisting of men's and young men's clothing to be closed out at the price on account of moving. Schlesinger & Levien, 752 Broadway, Room 405. Phone 5273 Spring.

MACHINES wanted; Willcox & Gibbs for cash. Freydberg, 85 5th Av.

SHOE LACES—Mercerized, round, tubular; splendid assortment sizes and colors. Mondial Mfg. Co., 416 Broadway.

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BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of ZINN'S RESTAURANT, INC., bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day, Wednesday, December 24, 1919, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 232 West 58th Street, Borough of Manhattan, all the right, title, and interest of the receiver in and to the assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of canned goods, utensils, cash registers, fixtures, complete furnishings and equipment and machinery of an up-to-date restaurant.
PHINEAS LEWINSON, Receiver.
DASHEW & BARNETT, Attorneys for Receiver, 15 Park Row, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York—In Bankruptcy. In the matter of EDWARD JUNAS, doing business as NEW YORK TEXTILE EXCHANGE and as ALLIED MILLS, bankrupt—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Wednesday, December 31, 1919, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 519 West 57th Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of one Paige-Detroit Auto.
MYLE J. HOLLEY, Receiver.
A. N. DAVIS, Attorney for Receiver, 51 Chambers Street, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of WM. NATANSON, trading as HELENORA SILK CO., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells Monday, January 5, 1920, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at 539 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of silks, powder puffs, desks, tables, typewriter, dyes, chairs, etc.
LOUIS WISHBOW, Receiver.
BLUMENSTIEL & BLUMENSTIEL, Attorneys for Receiver, 165 Broadway, New York.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS.

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

BALTIMORE — Kramer & Sauber; L. Kramer, voiles; 1,182 B'way.
BALTIMORE—Reinhardt & Co.; A. Baxter, woolens; Grand.
BALTIMORE—Cohns Sample Store; C. Cohn, clothing; 39 W. 32d.
BALTIMORE—Schwartzman, Cobe & Co.; A. Schwartzman, woolens; Pennsylvania.
BALTIMORE—Goodman, Wallock & Heffer; W. F. Heffer, millinery; Herald Square.
BALTIMORE—C. B. Henderson Co.; C. B. Henderson, ready-to-wear; 1,372 Broadway.
BOSTON—M. Goldberg & Co.; M. Goldberg, waists; Breslin.
BOSTON—Wm. Filenes Cons Co.; Mr. Post, women's inexpensive dresses; 225 5th Av.
BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; A. Cohen, jobs skirts, dresses; 200 5th Av.
BOSTON—Hub Dress Mfg. Co.; M. Cohen, dress goods; Somerset.
BOSTON—Levin Bros.; I. Levin, hosiery, underwear; Grand.
BRIDGEPORT, Conn.—Howland's D. G. Co.; H D. Johnson, boys' clothing; 404 4th Av.
CHICAGO—H. Stone, dresses; Grand.
CHICAGO—Ferguson Co.; J. E. Ferguson, ready-to-wear; Brostell.
CHICAGO—M. & S. Taylor Co.; S. E. Taylor, skirts; Broadway Central.
CHICAGO—Marshall Field & Co.; C. Doolittle, ginghams; 1,107 Broadway.
CLEVELAND—Bailey Co.; Miss Lavine, jobs tricotine dresses; 37 W. 26th.
CLEVELAND—Kluga, Feder, Levy Co.; L. H. Feder, jewelry, boys'; Breslin.
CLEVELAND—M. Englander & Co.; J. Bernstein, skirts, dresses; Pennsylvania.
CLEVELAND — Printz-Biederman Co.; C. Printz, woolens; 200 5th Av.; Pennsylvania.
CLEVELAND—Wm. Taylor, Son & Co.; F. C. Hofmayer, domestics, linens, silks; 470 4th Av.; Brostell.
DETROIT—H. Kramer & Sons; H. Kramer, rugs; Manhattan.
GLENS FALLS, N. Y.—Yorke Shirt Co.; L. M. Brown, shirtings; 1,270 B'way, Park Avenue.
INDIANAPOLIS—H. P. Wasson & Co.; J. H. Lowenstein, domestics, bedding; 116 W. 32d; Flanders.
JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—Marks Sample Shop; M. Mark, men's, women's ready-to-wear; Union Square.
KALAMAZOO, Mich.—J. R. Jones Sons & Co.; Mrs. C. Lester, ready-to-wear; Waldorf-Astoria.
MAUCH CHUNK, Pa.—Johnson Bros.; J. S. Johnson, clothing, men's furn. goods; Herald Square.
MINNEAPOLIS—Powers Mercantile Co.; W. A. Benton, furniture, rugs, upholstery goods; 2 W. 37th; Algonquin.
PHILADELPHIA—L. R. Faggen, piece goods; Pennsylvania.
PHILADELPHIA—Trio Waist Co.; H. Kessler, waists; 39 W. 32d; McAlpin Annex.
PHILADELPHIA—I. & S. Faggen; S. Faggen, waist, dress materials; Pennsylvania.
PHILADELPHIA—M. Silverman & Son; A. Silverman, women's silk dresses; 1,133 B'way.
PHILADELPHIA—John Wanamaker; J. F. Snyder, upholstery goods; Broadway and 10th.
PHILADELPHIA—S. Rothschild & Co.; M. Gutman, infants', children's wear; 1,182 Broadway.
PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; B. Sherwin, furs; 116 W. 32d.
PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann & Baer Co.; L. Ferber, millinery; 404 4th Av.
PITTSBURGH—Frank & Seder; H. J. Shomberg, furs, fur coats; 364 5th Av.
PITTSBURGH—Wearfine Clothing Co.; N. Breakstone, men's, boys' clothing; Herald Square.
PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann Dept. Store; Miss Frevert, jobs fur coats; E. Meyers, men's clothing; 1,261 B'way.
PORTLAND, Ore.—Lowengart & Co.; V. Petrillo, flowers, fancy feathers; 656 B'way.
RICHMOND, Va.—Cohen Co.; P. H. Davis, domestics, white goods; 1,150 B'way.
SAN FRANCISCO—E. J. Rich, millinery; Aberdeen.

This Was an Agreeable Shock.

According to an incident related yesterday in the local jewelry trade, a local woman got a rather bad shock the other day, but of a most agreeable kind. It seems that back in 1894 she had either purchased or been given a pearl necklace which, at that time, was valued at $3,500. Needing some ready money recently, she took it to the retail store at which it had been bought and asked the proprietor if he could dispose of it for her. Without committing himself as to the amount it would bring, he replied that he thought he could. He then got in touch with a wholesaler of jewelry, who promptly bought the necklace. When the woman got the check she nearly fainted from surprise. It read: "Pay to the order of—$25,000."

BUSINESS NOTES.

William Cross & Co., resident buyers, of 71 West Twenty-third Street have added Kaplowitz Brothers of Washington, D. C., to the list of their accounts.

Homes & Davis, certified public accountants, of 949 Broadway have announced that Louis Weinstein, C. P. A., has been admitted to the firm.

Harry C. Lack, for many years identified with the wholesaling of carpets, rugs, and linoleums, has started in business for himself at 396 Broadway.

The Flash Chemical Company will hold a meeting in the auditorium of the Bush Terminal Sales Building on Monday next.

In keeping with the spirit of this holiday season, we wish to express our appreciation to those who are our friends and patrons. At this time we extend to you our most sincere wishes for a prosperous New Year.
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REAL ESTATE FIELD

The Albemarle Building on the northwest corner of Twenty-fourth Street and Broadway, held at $4,000,000, was resold yesterday by Mandelbaum & Lewine, operators, to the Emery & Beers Company, Inc., and Paul Gunther, Inc., owners and manufacturers of "Onyx" hosiery. The structure is sixteen stories high and occupies a plot 159 by 192. It carries a $1,900,000 mortgage held by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. Albert B. Ashforth, Inc., negotiated the sale.

Rhinecliff Court, Held at $750,000, Sold to Mandelbaum & Lewine.

The Wille Construction Company sold to Mandelbaum & Lewine, operators, Rhinecliff Court, a ten-story apartment at the southeast corner of Riverside Drive and 156th Street, held at $750,000. The structure occupies a plot fronting 105.10 feet on the Drive and 103 feet on 156th Street, backing up on the Huntington property, extending over to Broadway, which is partially improved with the American Geographical Society, the Hispanic Society, the Museum of the American Indian, and the Church of Our Lady of Guadaloupe. William S. Baker and James A. Atwater were the brokers.

Tobacco Merchants Buy Maiden Lane Corner.

S. Rossin & Sons, tobacco merchants, purchased from the Casey estate 142 and 144 Maiden Lane and 152 and 154 Front Street, at the southwest corner, and comprising three buildings. The maiden Lane corner has been in the Casey family for over half a century and has been held at $125,000. Edward J. Hogan negotiated the sale.

Large Broadway Parcel Sold.

Joseph P. Day sold for the Alker estate the plot lying on the north side of West Ninety-seventh Street, 25 feet west of Broadway, covering a land area of 100 by 100. This property has been held in the Alker family for over half a century and the sale was made to a syndicate of prominent merchants headed by Harry Shiff. This property connects with the southwest corner of Broadway and Ninety-eighth Street, sold recently by Mr. Day to the same syndicate, who now control a plot of 27,500 feet at this point.

Manhattan Card and Paper Company Buys Three Loft Buildings.

The Manhattan Card and Paper Company purchased from the Lawyers Realty Company the three five-story loft buildings 25 to 29 Beekman Streeet, on a plot of about 7,000 square feet, and valued at $250,000. The buyers occupy scattered floors in the properties just secured, together with considerable outside space. The Charles F. Noyes Company negotiated the sale.

Operators in Two Deals.

Daniel B. Freedman and Alfred Rau, operators, purchased from the Owens estate the three-story frame store at 285 Amsterdam Avenue, 21 by 100 feet, located just north of Sherman Square, and adjoining on the south the Hotel Berkeley. Mr. Freedman and Alfred M. Rau also purchased from the Brandgan estate the southeast corner of Riverside Drive and 143d Street, a vacant plot, fronting 102.11 feet on the Drive and 20 feet on 143d Street, with easterly and southerly lines of 100 and 41.10 feet, respectively. Slawson & Hobbs negotiated both sales.

William Rockefeller Sells Kingsland Place at Scarborough, N. Y.

William Rockefeller sold through William A. White & Sons a portion of his holdings on the Hudson River at Scarborough, N. Y., to Mrs. John Farr. The property, which is known as the Kingsland place and lies on the west side of Broadway, consists of about nine acres with a large Colonial house and other buildings. It adjoins Mr. William Rockefeller's property on the south and is almost opposite the Sleepy Hollow Country Club, and on the north are the large estates of Miss Katherine Moore and Frank A. Vanderlip.

Buy Newark (N. J.) Site for Airplane Factory.

The Wright Aeronautical Corporation of America has purchased from the Merchants' National Bank a tract of five and a half acres at Frelinghuysen and Meeker Avenues, Newark, N. J. While no definite plans of development have been made, it was stated that the first unit of the projected plant would be a building to contain 100,000 square feet of floor area. It will be used for the manufacture of motors and planes. An office building will also be erected. It is expected to start the construction work next month. Louis Schlesinger, Inc., and Riker & Riker negotiated the transaction.

Furriers Buy West Twenty-ninth Street Home.

Manheimer Brothers resold to Hotkiss & Newman, wholesale furriers, the two five-story buildings at 214-216 West Twenty-ninth Street, 50 by 98.9 feet. The new owners will occupy a portion of same as soon as extensive alterations have been made.

The Loft Market.

Charles F. Noyes Company sold to Thomas H. Lawrence for occupancy, 244 Pearl Street, a four-story and basement building on a plot about 20 by 72, for Elias A. Cohen.

The Lebertan Corporation purchased from Marie Kahrs a fireproof eight-story store and loft building, 30 by 75. The property has been held at $70,000. The broker was the Charles F. Noyes Company.

Frederick Brown has bought from Commodore Elbridge T. Gerry through the Cruikshank Company the five-story loft building at 165 Greenwich Street, on a lot 31.11 by 81.10 by irregular.

A. W. Miller & Co. sold for Bertha Hoefer, 896-8 Eighth Avenue, two four-story business buildings, 50 by 137, together with 239-43 West Fifty-third Street, abutting, 57 by 100. The same brokers sold for P. J. Cuskley 920 Eighth Avenue, a four-story building with store, 23.8 by 100, to the Liblen Press, which will occupy at the expiration of leases.

Norman S. Riesenfeld bought from Katherine Chambers the five-story business building on a lot 20 by 60 feet at 26 Water Street. E. A. Mack was the broker.

Fischer Brothers Buy Pearl Street Building for Occupancy.

Fischer Brothers purchased for occupancy from the Iverness Realty Company 299 Pearl Street, a four-story building on a plot 22 by 125 feet. Cammann, Voorhees and Floyd negotiated the transaction.

$600,000 Upper Broadway Apartments for Operator.

Bellport Hall and Regent Hall, two six-story apartments covering a plot 200 by 100 feet at 3,100 to 3,110 Broadway, covering the block front between 123d and 124th Streets, were sold yesterday through Samuel Wacht, Jr., to Charles Kimmelman. The property rents for $70,000 and was held at $600,000.

$240,000 in Old Midtown Dwellings.

Frederick Fox & Co., Inc., sold for C. A. Coffin to William J. Hauser, 34 West Thirty-seventh Street, a four-story altered building on lot 25 by 98.9, held at $80,000, and for the Robert Company, 24 West Fortieth Street, opposite Bryant Park, a four-story old dwelling on lot 22.6 by 98.9, held at $160,000.

Apartment House Deals.

William D. Kilpatrick purchased through John T. Wall from W. C. Eckerson, the five-story single flat 20 by 75 feet, at 362 West Fifty-eighth Street.

Morganstern Brothers Syndicate sold to an investor the two five-story apartments on a plot 175 by 115 feet at the northwest corner of Audubon Avenue and 186th Street. The property shows a rental of $38,000. Stanley Wolfsohn was the broker in the transaction. The same syndicate recently sold the block front on the west side of St. Nicholas Avenue, between 173d and 174th Streets, held at $500,000.

Buyers for Dwellings.

Alexander Selkin and David Mintz sold 417 West 144th Street, a four-story American basement dwelling on lot 19 by 100, held at $18,000.

Carstein & Linnekin, Inc., sold to an investor for the Lawyers Mortgage Company, the property at 330 and 332 Fourth Avenue, and 29-31 East Twenty-fourth Street, surrounding the northwest corner of Twenty-fourth Street and Fourth Avenue. The property on the street consists of two three-story dwellings on a combined plot 40 by 49.4 feet, abutting in the rear the parcel at 330 and 332 Fourth Avenue, a plot 100 by 49.4 feet, improved with a two-story building.

Charles Wynne and Louis H. Low purchased from the West Side Holding Company, 215 West Twenty-second Street, a three-story dwelling, held at $20,000. I. Cohen & Co. were the brokers.

Dwight, Archibald & Perry, Inc., sold for the Farmers Loan and Trust Company, representing the estate of Margaret Steele, the three-story store and dwelling on lot 25 by 92 at 107 West Sixteenth Street. The purchaser will alter and occupy.

Pease & Elliman sold for Clarissa O. Doremus to a buyer for occupancy the dwelling on a lot 21 by 100 feet at 51 West Eighty-seventh Street.

H. Sklamberg sold to A. Kinsler the two three-story buildings, 34 by 100, at 82 and 84 West 119th Street, for about $25,000. H. W. Krumwiede, Jr., was the broker.

James H. Cruikshank resold to Axel Arnesen and Caroline Arnesen, 334 East Fifty-seventh Street, a three-story dwelling on lot 25 by 66. Leon S. Altmayer was the broker.

$800,000 New Madison Avenue Apartment.

Among plans filed yesterday was one calling for a fifteen-story store and apartment building on a plot 80 by 60 feet at 527 to 531 Madison Avenue. Schwartz & Gross, the architects, estimate its cost at $800,000.

Harlem Tenement Sale.

George W. Bretell sold for the Missionary Society of the Episcopal Church to A. Arlosky the four-story flat and store at 225 East 121st Street.

The Bronx Market.

Samuel Cowen sold 885 East 169th Street, a two-family dwelling.

Edward Polak, Inc., sold for Louis Lese 1,242 Fulton Avenue, a one-family dwelling. For H. Brown to L. Gross, 1,176 Forest Avenue, a three-family dwelling, and also 320 East 165th Street, a five-story flat.

Maurice Kastriner sold to an investor the two five-story apartment house, 878 and 882 Kelly Street, 38 by 100 each, held at $84,000.

Elmer C. Gates and F. J. Wood sold for Louis Gates, 2,224 Valentine Avenue, to David Harnick and Kalman Rosenzweig.

Harry Cahn sold to Ida Afromowitz, a five-story apartment with stores, on lot 40 by 100, at 1,555 Southern Boulevard. Samuel Cowen and Peter Stump, brokers in transaction.

A. G. Bechmann sold for the Thirty-seven West Nineteenth Street Realty Corporation, premises 1,551 Southern Boulevard, a five-story apartment house, 40 by 100, held at $50,000, to Charles Kervan, also sold to a client for Charles A. Hall, plot 100 by 82, on northeast corner of Havemeyer and Ellis Avenues, held at $12,000.

Murray && Hill Co. sold for Loftin Realty Corporation to a client, the five-story apartment, at 2,014 Bryant Avenue, 45 by 104, renting for $10,000, and held at $65,000.

David L. Woodall, Jr., sold for Lulu J. Schofield the two-family dwelling, 362 East 179th Street; for Lillian E. Bonfils the one story building, 365 East 179th Street; for Norman S. Morgan the lot 25 by 115 on the west side of Tiebout Avenue, about 348 feet south of 184th Street.

Ernest T. Bower sold for a client of Richard H. Scobie, 306 East Fordham Road, a three-story business building, 37.6x irregular.

New $1,000,000 Theatre for Brooklyn.

It was announced yesterday that William Fox would build a theatre to cost over $1,000,000 on the east side of Flatbush Avenue, the corner of Duryea Place. The house will have a seating capacity of 3,500. Thomas W. Lamb was the architect.

Brooklyn.

Harold E. Wittemann sold for S. Bloomber 329 Union Street, a four-story apartment, held at $55,000; for E. J. Kelly, 499-501 Washington Avenue, a modern four-story apartment, held at $70,000; for Rudolf Marwede, 951-955 St. Mark's Avenue, three eight-family apartments, to an investor for $66,500.

Rose Ward sold through Bulkley & Horton Company a three-story flat and store building on a lot 18.7 by 90 feet, at 111 Rogers Avenue, between Prospect Avenue and Park Place.

The Nolos Realty Corporation purchased two one-family houses at 2,067 and 2,069 Eightieth Street. The first house was resold by the company to Harry Goldner for occupancy.

Tutino & Cerny sold for David Cardoza to a client, for occupancy, the two-family brick dwelling at 732 Fifty-second Street.

F. C. Sauter sold the three-story-and-basement brownstone dwelling at 452 Sixth Street, between Sixth and Seventh Avenues, for William J. Dennis to Catherine O'Brien for occupancy. The same broker also sold the three-story double brick apartment at 1,149 Thirty-ninth Street for the Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Yetta Black and Frank Paul for investment.

Meister Builders, Inc., have purchased from B. H. Hogan a plot 160 by 100, unimproved property, on Seventy-eighth Street, 100 feet east of Thirteenth Avenue, Brooklyn.

I. Salzberg sold for Leff Construction Company to I. Lieberman the one-family cottage on the lot, 32 by 100, at 1,655 Forty-eighth Street.

William Beckerman bought from Abraham Messer the one-family house at 1,960 Eighty-second Street. Martin Isenberg was the broker.

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Caroline Franznick bought from Oscar Quirk, through J. Albert Johntra, the dwelling at 65 Burling Avenue, Flushing.

Clinton Trading Company sold to a client of I. Weinbach the properties at 4 to 28 Herbert Street, with the exception of 18 Herbert Street, Maspeth. The buyer will make extensive alterations.

H. Frankfort sold for Hattie R. Faber to Edward Dunn the cottage and garage on the southeast corner of Broadway and Read's Lane, Far Rockaway.

Joseph P. Day sold for J. W. Lieb to Miss Frances Shappiro his residence at the corner of Bayview and Prospect Avenues, Bayswater, Far Rockaway. The house stands on a plot 250 by 100.

Westchester.

Fish & Marvin sold for Mrs. Caroline E. Feuerfile a large plot on Lincoln Street, Larchmont Park, to Louis Koop, who will build a residence thereon for his own occupancy. The same brokers sold for Miss Carrie E. Felt a large plot as a home site on Elm Road, in the Woods of Larchmont, to Charles E. Martens, and for Mrs. Margery W. Burton her property on Tuckahoe Road, in the town of Greenburgh, to Frank Lord of the Cross & Brown Company. The property comprises one-half acre and an old Colonial house, and was held at $20,000. Gilbert K. Laird represented the purchaser.

Scarsdale Estates, Robert E. Farley President, sold to William A. Taylor a plot in the Ridgeview section of White Plains, adjoining his present home.

Realty Note.

The alterations to be made by the Chase National Bank as owners are on the property at 69 to 79 Greenwich Street, instead of 57 Broadway, as reported.

COURT CALENDARS

CASES WILL BE CALLED IN THE ORDER GIVEN BELOW.
(<) This character means *versus* or *against*.

Southern District.

DISTRICT COURT—Knox, J.—In Room 331, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M. Criminal.

M Sudane. F Salamons. C Stramiello. F Salamons et al. J Suchoff et al. J H McGrath et al. J Soule (2).

Pleadings: A Sundstrom. M Haviland. G Roncoroni. R Edelstein. R Singh et al. Motion: Richard Yancy et al.

Last day to file demurrer: L J Levin.

DISTRICT COURT—Learned Hand, J.—In Room 337, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M. Jury calendar.

Lazarowitz<Kravitz. Higgins<New England SS Co. Dering<New. J. C. Francesconi Co<B O RR. Lawrence<Hines. Hutchinson<same. Geary<same. Man Life Ins Co<Prussian Life Ins.

DISTRICT COURT—Augustus N. Hand, J.—In Room 1, 12th floor, Woolworth Bldg., at 10:30 A. M. Admiralty.

Sidnam<Atl Ltge Co. Publicover<Proceeds of Cargo of Schr Blandford. Connett<CNY.

DISTRICT COURT—Mack, J.—In Room 235, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M. Motion calendar.

Noticed motions: Elseman<Agrest. Mayflower<Knowles. US<F E Fitzgerald. Same<M Fitzgerald. Same<Degenhardt. Same<Laturnees. Same<Howard. Same<Laukencer. Same<Weiss. Same<Goldberg. Same<Weber. Moran<Gulf. Hunan<No Region Supply Corp. US<Sunkberg. Same<Muller. Rebatta<Standard Oil. Westinghouse<B R T.

Adjourned motions: Atlantic Refining Co<F & C SS Co. Spoziante<Dir Gen of RRs (2). Clark<Hemsley. Graham<Sohmer. Gentry Film Co<Educational Films Co. McLean<Undercliff. Floyd<O'Boyle. Bronston<Am Hat Mfg Co. Forstmann<NY Tribune. Forstmann & Huffmann<same. US<Dally. Same<Crowley. Same<Roberts.

Eastern District.

DISTRICT COURT—Chatfield, J.—Room 323, P. O. Bldg., Brooklyn. At 10:30 A. M. Admiralty:

Patterson<Steam tug Downer. Interstate Lighterage & Trans Co<Newtown Creek Towing Co. Newtown Creek Towing Co<Interstate L & Trans Co. McDonald, Inc<"Climax." Scanlon<SS Kanabec. Kinn, Ltd, Inc<Blue Peter Nav Corp. Aeolian Co<Bradley. Schor<Watden. Liccione<Dir Gen RR. Amer Eng Co et al<Met By-Products Co. Title Guar & Tr Co<same. Smith, &c, Co<Am Druggists' Syndicate.

2 P. M. Motion calendar. McAllister Ltrg Line, Inc<Newtown Cr Tow.

DISTRICT COURT—Chatfield, J.—At 2 P. M. Title Guar & Tr Co<et al (settlement Met By-Products Co decree).

NEW YORK COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

APPELLATE DIVISION—Recess.

APPELLATE TERM—Recess.

SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Davis, J.—At 10:15 A. M. Litigated motions.

Quinlan<Carnegie Tr. Brady<NY Rys. Re New Eng Equit Ins Co (Ellperin). Wimple & Co<Rolbein. O'Malley<Day. Obelsar<Obelsar. Friedman<Friedman. Rubenstein<Rubenstein. Haas<Estates of St Urban, Inc. Strauss<Edirose Silk Mfg Co. Leavitt<Isman. Heyde<West End Ice. Hoffman<Goelet. Cunningham<Cunningham. Gahl Bros Mfg Co<Scanlon. Walles Dove Bitumastic, Ltd<Am Bitumastic Enamels Co. Hughes<Spiro. People ex rel Wells<Cantor. Coffey<Cogan. Tileston<Tileston. S Valentine Co<Lafayette Notion Co. Royal W Wash Laundry, Inc<Richmond. Re Sternkopf. Seivel<Lion W Wash Laundry, Inc. Feldman<Hoffman (2). Badgeley<Badgeley. City R E Co<Davis. Hall<Romaine. Union Dime Sav Bank<Hamilton. Brosnan<Fineblock Rty Co. Pomaro<Kopf. Mulligan<Fidelity & Dep Co. Stemme<Kaufmann.

Hafeken<Petschke. Re Liebowitz (Diamond). Schneider<Thompson Bros. Lenk<Lenk. Sesholtz<Sesholtz. Schwartz & Co<Aimwell Co. Dinofsky<Schiff. Bedat<Finck. Re Altman<Josephson. Pokress, Inc<Eagle Trimmed Hat Co. Burger<Bourasse. Travis<Kneifel. Lion<Lion. Strauss<Pfeiffer. Pomerantz<Pomerantz. Gerstner<Kane Skirt. Slote<Greenberg & Greenberg. Carroll<Republic Dist Corp. Schwartz & Co<Aimwell Co. Reagan<Lennon. Tompkins-Kiel Marble Co<CNY. Brennon<British & Colonial Kinematog Co. Evans<Evans. Weir<Mathews Eng. Rubin<Zuckerman. Re Hilliesen, Inc. Pierce<Pierce. Re Ammidown. Paul<Goldman. Badgley<Badgley. Karpf<Wildman. Gill<Gill. Bartle<Short. Weiss<Roossin. People, &c<Leventine. Phillips<Devereaux. Weiss<Waltz & Co.

PART II.—Greenbaum, J.—At 10:30 A. M. Ex parte business.

SPECIAL TERM—Parts III., IV., V., VI., VII., and VIII. Recess.

TRIAL TERM—Parts II., III., IV., V., VI., VII., VIII., IX., X., XI., XII., XIII., XIV., XV., XVI., XVII. and XVIII. Recess.

Surrogates' Court.

CHAMBERS—Cohalan, S. At 10:30 A. M. Wills for probate: Michele La Jaconi, Charles S Furst, William Harnold, Alphonse Lewis.

TRIAL TERM—Adjourned for the term.

City Court.

SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Meyer, J.—At 10 A. M. Motions.

Sparks<Brown, Inc. Death<Kirby. Reischmann Co<Cooper Co. Ehrlich<Colonial Bank Safe Deposit Co. Ragovin<Perle. Hogoirick<Philippi & Co. Bernheimer<Levy. Rosenzweig<Gross. Amato<Friedman. Sarguinisk<Hesse Bros. Amato<Friedman. Coff Garrod Co<McGoldrick. Alperin<Oriental Dye Works.

Tischler<Bear Lithia Springs Co. Braver<Boniface Con Co (2). Abelson<Langmack. Vanzino<Bear Lithia Springs Co. Wind<Imperial Dress Co. Young<Ferguson. Jacobs<Cohen. Marco<Int R T. McDavitt<Foster. Dothi<Maleganos. Mandapolous<same. Cohen<Betz. Adler<McClair Silk Co. Bobrow<Lindau. Heine & Co<Robinson. Forman<Davis.

PART II.—Meyer, J.—At 10 A. M. Ex parte business.

TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Schmuck, J.—At 9:45 A. M.

Esposito<Am Ry Exp. Kimmelman<J Menist Co, Inc. Rossbach<Penn RR. Morris<Goss. Stein<Ontario Thread. Sandler<Abrams. Finkelstein<Kamber. Rosen<981 Union Av. Same<976 Tinton Av. Redner<42 St, &c, Ry (2). Kenzer<Cohen.

Davis<Park & Tilford. Levin<NYC Int Ry. Weinberg<Baird Daniels Co. Flapin<Sobel. Derse<54th St Rty Co. Kaplan<Zelberg. Pollock<Elysee Rlty Co. Wank<236 E 5th St Rlty Co. Sussman<Reich. Reisman<Blum. Cohen<Ershowsky.

Short cause calendar cases will be sent to Trial Term, Part II., for trial.

Cohen<Shapiro. Clear.

PART II.—La Fetra, J.—At 10 A. M. Clear.

PART III.—Walsh, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on. No day calendar.

PART IV.—Allen, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.

PART V.—O'Dwyer, C. J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.

PART VI.—Zeller, J.—At 10 A. M. Clear.

PART VII.—Finelite, J.—At 10 A. M. Clear.

PART VIII.—Smith, J.—At 10 A. M. Clear.

Referees Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Greenbaum, J.—In re Carroll—Geo B Brooks. Manhattan Life Ins Co<Selvin Realty Co, Inc, et al—Edward Q Carr. Colt<Tompkins et al—Edwin N. Goodwin.

SUPREME COURT—Davis J.—In re Sobel (Shapiro)—J H Gilbert. In re Marks (7th Av)—Albert Ritchie.

Receiver Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Davis, J.—Martha T Sands<Cornelia B Underhill—Chester J Byrns.

BRONX COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Tierney, J.—Court opens at 10 A. M. Ex parte business.

SPECIAL TERM FOR MOTIONS—Tierney, J.—Motion calendar.

Waldvogel<Carpenter. Clark<Dodd. Marlatt<Hirschfeld. Condon<Gatti. Tully<Ciambrone. Kalnin<Kalnin. U M Hld Co<Perlman.

SPECIAL TERM FOR TRIALS—Tierney, J. No day calendar.

TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Finch, J.—No day calendar.

PART II.—Tierney, J.—Cases to be sent from Trial Term, Part I.

PART III.—Cases to be sent from Part I.

Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS—Schulz, S.—Ex parte business. Motion: Est of Xavier Schohn. Wills for probate: Fredericka Landsberg, Henry L Levy, Oscar Lee. Accountings: Est of Anthony Viola, Eliza Giffing.

TRIAL TERM—Schulz, S.—No day calendar.

County Court.

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Gibbs, J. Ex parte business.

SPECIAL TERM FOR MOTIONS—Gibbs, J. No day calendar.

TRIAL TERM—Welsh, J. No day calendar.

Referees Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Tierney, J.—Owen, trustee, &c.<Gallagher et al—Francis S. Quinn. Same<Segrave et al—Leo J. Rosett. Same<Bennard—Morris Frank.

KINGS COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

APPELLATE DIVISION—Second Department—Recess.

APPELLATE TERM—Second Department—Recess.

SPECIAL TERM, PART I.—Lazansky, J. At 10 A. M.

Pure Oil Co<Paul. Re Public Park at Coney Island. Doyle<Doyle. Esposito<Esposito. Malkerd<Zotta. Bedford Co-op Bldg L Assn<Schultz. Horn<Wellworth Hld. Cosmopolitan<Continental Aircraft Corp. Bean<Margoyles. Sardo<Matthews. Ohman<Sorenson. L'Hommedieu<Cook. Yasuna<Rubenstein.

Roberts<Lambert. Graham Marx Con Co<Arfanotti. Re Holzman. Harrity<Steers. Blitzer<Gellering. Siegel<Levy. People<Katz. Re Coney. Re Marx. Lutfey<Lutfey. People<Wansker. People ex rel Gerber<Gilchrist. Friedman<Friedman. Hill<Hill.

PART II.—Scudder, J.—Ex parte business at 10 A. M.

Undefended divorces: Kennedy, Bremler, Farrell, Pugliese, Di Merco, McCarthy, Benson, Hanson, Sheffo, Wren, Miller, Greenman, Jones, Vogt, Fleisher, Thompson, Moshier, Woolnought, Goldman, Donner, Burns, Desmond, Mints, Botterman, Kashins, Wilmaitis, Starkman, Meinecke, Burkhardt, Duval, Strothotte.

PART III.—Benedict, J.

Eastern Woodworking Co<Bisqueler. Cohen<Cohen. Francke<Francke. Hovel<Egbert. Traster<Blair. Schwartz<Bullard. Kenny<Kenny. Makofsky<Saltzberg. Brandt<Feigenbaum. Myers<Myers. Machensky<Lehigh Valley RR.

Mahateck<Mahateck. Kallman<Kalish. Howden<Lowe. Palm<Palm. Pekarsky<Pekarsky. James<James (2). Di Marco<Di Marco. Indep Wet W Laundry<Shulman. Shorenstein<Shorenstein. Day<Heide. Berry<N Y Municipal Ry.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed until Jan. 5:

Klitsch<Conant. Trotter<Trotter. Fay, trustee<Hofstetter. Jochen<Jochen. Steinman<Steinman. Morse & Burt Co<McDonald. Hetzle<Tredwell. Schultheis<Schultheis.

McGovern<Supreme Council C B. Donaldson<same. Cole<Am Blind Stitch Machine. Tisch<CNY. Vanderveer Crossings<Hochstein. Fabric Cleaning and D Co<Bullion Rty Co.

Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS—Wingate, S. Day calendar at 10 A. M.

Wills of: William Gray, Helen Gray, John Harris, Emma C. Darrow, Robinson Leech, Jessie Walker, David Ross. Estates of: Lydia R. Babbott, Laura Wilson, Walter Sametz, William Grimm, Sophie Jaeger, Mary Dahlan, Frederick Ebel, Fannie K. Lyons, Miguel Alwarez, Blanche Kelly, Catherine Mead. Administration of: Margaret McKeever. Accountings of: Sophie Jaeger, Maria Lavin, Amelia F. Rush, William Gunley, Michael Gibbons.

County Court.

CIVIL—No day calendar.

RESULTS AT AUCTION.

AT 14 VESEY STREET.
By Henry Brady.

112th St, 165 East, n s, 190 ft w of 3d Av, 20x100.11, 5-story tenement; John Ropp vs. Joshua Epstein et al; Harold Swain, attorney; Edward C. O. Thomas, referee; due on judgment $23,112.42; sold to the plaintiff for $22,000.

AT 3,208 THIRD AVENUE.
By Joseph P. Day.

St. Ann's Av, 467, n w corner of 146th St, 24.11x99.6; Clarence S. Haaren vs. Emma A. Friedman et al.; John G. Snyder, attorney; Ralph S. Wolcott, referee; due on judgment $21,230.55, taxes, &c., $865.07; sold to John H. Meyer for $15,000.

Walton Av, e s, 45.9 ft s of Belmont St, 61x152, vacant; Anna R. Crossin vs. Claus H. Kruse et al.; Harold Swain, attorney; Schuyler E. Day, referee; due on judgment $3,102, taxes, &c., $1,425; sold to Henry Juergens for $3,550.

By Charles A. Berrian.

Grand Boulevard, n w corner Rockwood St, 4x7x5x—, vacant; Alfred Servida vs. James A. Wolff et al.; Harold Swain, attorney; James B. Butler, referee; due on judgment $131.17, taxes, &c., $100; sold to the plaintiff for $50.

Walton Av, e s, 14 ft n of Rockwood St, 42x17x25x59, vacant; same vs. same; same attorney, same referee, due on judgment $1,262.60, taxes, &c., $575; sold to the plaintiff for $100.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

New Buildings.

Young Av, w s, 156 ft n of Pelham Parkway, for a two-story frame dwelling 19.6x44 and one-story concrete stable 24x15; Herrimann Christmann, 1,255 Edison Av, owner; B. Ebeling, 2,400 Westchester Av, architect; cost....$6,500

182d St, n w corner of 3d Av, for a one-story brick garage 68.2x97; Samuel Weil, 194 Franklin St, owner; C. B. Meyers, 1 Union Square, architect; cost....$15,000

75th St, 310 West, for a one-story garage 40x24.4; Eppora Holding Co., 381 West 86th St, owner; S. Cohen, 32 Union Square, architect; cost....$2,000

Downing St, 68, one-story shed, 57.11x24; J. J. Lordi, 7 5th Av, owner; F. S. Vitolo, 56 West 45th St, architect; cost $5,000.

St. Nicholas Av, s w corner 177th St, one-story stores, 99.11x90; E. Silverman, 7th Av and 125th St, owner; C. B. Call, 81 East 125th St, architect; cost $35,000.

Madison Av, 527 to 531, 15-story stores, apartment and restaurant, 80x60; Waltt Operating Co., Inc., 2 West 45th St, owner; Schwartz & Gross, 547 5th Av, architects; cost $800,000.

93d St, 69 and 71 East, six and one-half story dwelling, 34x100; Mrs. I. T. Burden, premises, owner; P. J. Murray and A. Mizner, architects; cost $150,000.

Alterations.

182d St, s e corner of Quarry Road, to a two-story frame dwelling, store, and office, 20x43x6; Amelia Steinberg, on premises, owner; Chas. S. Clark, 441 Tremont Av, architect; cost....$2,000

Cedar Av, 1,879, to a one-story stone garage 12x18; Jacob Tobash, 54 East 101st St, owner and architect; cost....$1,500

Lenox Av, 124-8, to a two-story stores; A. Geller, premises, owner; Gronenberg & Leuchtag, 303 5th Av, architects; cost....$6,000

Warren St, 8, to a five-story store and lofts; D. Van Nostrand Co., 25 Park Place, owner; John B. Snook Sons, 261 Broadway, architects; cost....$15,000

Madison Av, 534, to a four-story restaurant &c.; A. Kimbell, 12 West 40th St, owner; Rich & Mathesius, 320 5th Av, architects; cost....$18,000

Greenwich St, 553, five-story tenement; R. C. and C. E. Annett, Bayonne, N. J., owners; O. Reissan, 147 4th Av, architect; cost $4,000.

9th Av, 261 to 269, and 26th St, 400 to 406 West, ten-story factory, &c.; Heywood, Strasser & Voigt Litho Co., Premises, owner; Edward I. Shire, 373 4th Av, architect; cost $3,000.

22d St, 235 to 239 West, three four-story dwellings; Estate W. L. Inman, 126 Broad St, owner; A. Busselle, 347 Madison Av, architect; cost $20,000.

Rivington St, 126, one and three-story restaurant; M. Greif, premises, owner; Gulcroft & Gulcroft, 729 Flushing Av, Brooklyn, architects; cost $10,000.

44th St, 334 to 344 West, two-story auditorium; R. E. Sause, premises, owner; A. J. Bimberg, premises, architect; cost $3,000.

8th Av, 557, three-story store, &c; J. Goodman, 236 West 44th St, owner; L. E. Denslow, 44 West 18th St, architect; cost $4,500.

3d Av, 81, four-story store, &c.; W. J. Morris, Jr., 30 Broad St, owner; L. E. Denslow, architect; cost $3,500.

Canal St, n e corner Broadway, four-story stores and apartment; J. F. Dour, 324-326 West 15th St, owner; L. E. Denslow, architect; cost $5,000.

58th St, 330 and 332 West, four-story dwelling; Real Realty Co., 36 West 59th St, owner; G. and E. Blum and V. Bark, Jr., 505 5th Av, architects; cost $30,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

TUESDAY, DEC. 23.

With name and address of purchaser and attorney. When attorney's name is omitted address party of the second part.

Manhattan.

FRONT ST, 67-69, s s, 58 ft w of Old Slip, 36.8x88.9x irregular; Everett B. Wheeler to West Beach Realty Corp., 46 Cedar St, mtg $25,000, all liens, b. and s., Dec. 22; attorney, T. G. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$1

SAME PROPERTY; West Beach Realty Corp. to Markham Realty Corp., 31 Nassau St, mtg $25,000, all liens, Dec. 22; attorney, same....$1

MAIDEN LANE, n w corner of Front St, 19.4x21.8; Maiden Lane, 144, s s, 15.11x21.2; Maiden Lane, 144, 15.10x21.5; Front St, 152, w s, 20x63; John A. Casey Co. to Morris Rossin, 36 East 68th St, et al, firm S. Rossin & Sons, 173 Water St, mtg $46,500, all liens, Dec. 22; attorney, T. G. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$100

THOMPSON ST, 87; Spring St, 185; 39th St, 510 West; 1st Av, 1,189; 120th St, 718 East; 106th St, 226-230 East; also property in Fort Lee, N. J.; John E. Cavanaugh to Emmeline C. Dickerson, 141 West 92d St, one-twentieth part and all his r., t. and i. in estate of John C. Clegg, b. and s., c. a. g., all liens, Dec. 19; attorney, George H. Hyde, 41 Park Row....$1

VERMILYEA AV, s e cor 211th St, 29.3x114.4x87.7x76.10; Asserman & Gottlieb, Inc, to Anthony Realty Co., 5 Beekman St, mtg $50,000, all liens, Dec. 15; attorneys, Price Bros., 271 Broadway....$100

WASHINGTON ST, 71, e s, 20x— to w s of alley, with rights to alley; Edw. C. Cammann, trustee, to Regina B. Saportas, Church St, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Dec. 24; attorney, T. G. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$18,000

WATER ST, 247-249, s s, 37.6x72.8; Dick S. Ramsey to Nathan L. Ely of Peekskill, N. Y., a. t., Nov. 29, 1902; attorney, E. R. Vollshon, 293 Broadway....$20,000

WEST ST, 175, e s 26.6x88.4; American Mort. Co. to Simon Renkoff, 96 East 1st St, et al., Dec. 22, b. & s.; attorneys, Middlebrook & B., 46 Cedar St....$1

2D AV, 1,727, w s, 25.8 ft n of 89th St, 25x100; Harry H. Holbert and another, exrs. to Josephine & Eleanor Seiferd, 320 East 86th St, mtg $16,000, all liens, Dec. 17; attorney, H. H. Holbert, 1,511 3d Av..$1

2D AV, 1,731, w s, 75.8 ft n of 89th St, 25x100; same to same, mtg $10,000, all liens, Dec. 17; attorney, same....$1

5TH AV, 509; Broadway, 816; Greenwich St, 59; James S. Sturges et al. to Thomas T. Sturges, 2,039 Broadway, a. t., b. and s., Dec. 19; attorneys, Norwood, A. & W., 12 East 44th St....$1

9TH AV, 441, w s, 74.1 ft s of 35th St, 24.8x100; Robert Gray, Jr. et al, exrs., &c., to Francesco Buonocore, 375 7th Av., mtg $10,000, all liens, Dec. 22....$19,000

10TH AV, 821, w s, 75.5 ft n of 54th St, 25x100; Albert M. Manville, exr., to Bertha Mayer, 8 West 103d St, all liens, Dec. 18; attorney, Chas. O'Scanlan, 51 Chambers St....$18,000

26TH ST, 136 East, s s, 19x49.4; N. A. Heymsfeld to Hedwig Heymsfeld, 1,477 Washington Av, mtg $9,000; attorneys, Smith, H. & W., 277 Broadway....$1

27TH ST, 209 West, n s, 25x98.9; Rosena C. Hafner to Fanny Harris, 33 West 27th St, and Bessie Thrope, 139 West 28th St, mtg $19,750, Dec. 8; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$100

SAME PROPERTY; Fanny Harris and another to Barnett Cohen, 139 West 28th St, and Harry Harris, 331 West 27th St, mtg $34,750; attorneys, Krakower & P., 309 Broadway....$1

30TH ST, 20 West, s s, 27x98.9; Charlotte M. Holly, individually and as executrix, to Louis Kalmanowitz, 139 Henry St, mtg $75,000, all liens, Dec. 22; attorneys, Ginsburg & Picken, 116 Nassau St....$100

34TH ST, 136 West, s s, 25x98.9; Lawyers Mortgage Co. to District Holding Corp., 907 Broadway, all liens, b. and s., Dec. 22; attorneys, Stoddard & M., 128 Broadway..$100

48TH ST, 438 West, n s, 25x100.5; Anthony Kuhn to Theresa Kleindienst, 447 West 50th St, Dec. 23; attorneys, Berger & G., 233 Broadway....$1

63D ST, 41-43 West, n s, 375 ft w of Central Park West, 50x100.5; Samuel J. Goldstein, 157 Central Park West, et al, trustees in bankruptcy of Fiss, Doerr & Carroll Horse Co., bankrupt, to Dora Steinweg, 420 West 146th St, a. t., q. c., all liens; attorneys, Olcott, B., McM. & S., 170 Broadway....Court order

72D ST, 152-4 West, s s, 40x102.2; Elmer E. Smathers to Chas. B. Shaffer, 5,200 Sheridan Road, Chicago, Ill., one-half right, t. & i., b. & s., c. a. g., all liens, Oct. 10; attorney, E. B. Wilson, 149 Broadway....$1 diana, also for Pennsylvania and New York;

72D ST, 236 West, s s, 25x102.2; Thomas T. Sturges to James S., Susan M., and Eliz. M. Sturges, 236 West 72d St, a. t., b. and s., Dec. 18; attorneys, Norwood, A. & W., 12 East 44th St....Gift

100TH ST, 105 East, n s, 25x75; Harry Whelan to Benj. Graham and Robt. Foulks, 106 East 102d St, mtg $10,000, all liens, Dec. 5; attorney, N. Y. Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway....$1

102D ST, s s, 79.8 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 20.9x50.11; Dora H Hermes (Boehaek) to New Holding Co., 501 West 111th St, mtg $8,500, all liens, Dec. 20; attorney, T. G. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$100

104TH ST, 58 East, s s, 25x100.11; Margt. Ganly to M. F. Ganly, 58 East 104th St, mtg $18,000, all liens, Dec. 22; attorneys, Morton H. C. Foster & Bro., 1,971 3d Av....$100

109TH ST, 60 East, s s, 17.2x100.11; Ada C. Lockwood to Emma Jacobson, 135 East 103d St, mtg $4,500, all liens, Nov. 14; attorney, T. G. & T. Co., 176 B'way....$100

110TH ST, 2 East, s s, 25x100.11, foreclosure Nov. 6, 1919; Hy. A. Friedman, referee, to Mary B. Slevin, 254 West 76th St, Dec. 19; attorney, M. J. Mulqueen, 253 B'way.$47,500

119TH ST, 147 West, n s, 20x100.11; Louis Adler, et al., exrs., to College Holding Co, 320 Broadway, mtg $10,000, Dec. 5; attorneys, Morrison & S., 320 Broadway....$12,000

114TH ST, 33 East, n s, 20x100; John Pacella to Louisa Pacella, 322 Pleasant Av, mtgs $6,500, all liens, Dec. 4; attorney, D. Corlucci, 1,342 Fulton Av, Bronx....$100

138TH ST, n s, 414.6 ft w of 7th Av, 17x99.11; Equitable Life Assurance Society to Jerome P. Ottley, 225 West 136th St, b. & s., all liens, Oct. 10; attorneys, Alexander & G., 120 Broadway....$1

138TH ST, s s, 101.6 ft w of 7th Av, 22x99.11; Equitable Life Assurance Society to Annie Payne, 212 West 141st St, Dec. 1; attorney, Maxwell Lustig, 154 Nassau St....$1

139TH ST, s s, 180.6 ft w of 7th Av, 17x99.11; Equitable Life Assurance Society to Julia A. Mitchell, 901 Grant Av, Bronx, b. & s., all liens, Dec. 1....$1

139TH ST, s s, 197.6 ft w of 7th Av; same to Edna P. Billups, 105 West 137th St, b. & s., all liens, Dec. 1; attorneys, Alexander & G., 120 Broadway....$1

139TH ST, s s, 312 ft w of 7th Av; same to same; attorneys, same....$1

144TH ST, s s, 334.4 ft e of 7th Av, 40.1x99.11; I. B. Realty Corpn. to Jessie Akst, 222 South Rhode Island Av, Atlantic City, N. J., mtg $33,500, Aug. 28; attorney, Lewis S. Marx, 116 Nassau St....$1,000

144TH ST, 460 West, 20x99.11; same to same, q. c., Dec. 11; attorneys, same....$1

144TH ST, 457 West, n s, 16.6x99.11; Edna P. Jenkins to Edwin H. Peck, 128 Cottage Av, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., Dec. 11; attorneys, Middlebrook & B., 46 Cedar St....$1

178TH ST, 592-596 West, s s, 75x94.4; Bessie Blicher to Bardale Realty Company, 220 Broadway, mtg $87,375, all liens; attorney, Joshua Sprayregen, 233 Broadway....$1

187TH ST, 655 West, n s, 16.8x94.11; Mary Ebner, now Mary, wife of Edwin J. Duttweiler, Jeffersonville, N. Y., mtg $4,700, all liens, Dec. 8....$5,900

228TH ST, 162 West, w s, 143.2 ft n of Kingsbridge Av, 30x100; Charlotte Padelinette, extrx., to Selah B. Masten, 226 West 238th St, Bronx, mtg $3,500, all liens, Dec. 15; attorney, T. G. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$6,500

Bronx.

ALEXANDER AV, 172, e s, 20x81.6; Richard A. Kine to Isabelle E. Kidd, 172 Alexander Av, mtg $7,000, Nov. 28; attorney, T. P. McLaughlin, Jr., 25 Broad St, o. c. and....$100

ANTHONY AV, 1,959, w s, 21x69.11x20x76.4; Barbara G. Hahn to Belle Rosenthal, 209 West 118th St, mtg $3,000, Dec. 22; attorney, Title Guar. Co., 176 Broadway...$1

ARTHUR AV, 2,123, w s, 25x95; Mary I. Zimmermann to Prisio Moita, 2,357 Crotona Av, and another, mtg $4,000, Dec. 22; attorney, Title Guar. Co., 176 B'way....$1

BROOK AV, n w corner of 147th St, 24.11x89.10; Peter Doelger Brewing Co. to Peter Doelger Brewing Co., 407 East 55th St, Oct. 30; attorney, John C. Hoenninger, 5 Beekman St; o. c. and....$100

BROOK AV, 1,415, w s, 25x90; Bernard Hahn, referee, to Josephine M. Ryan and Wm. J. Ryan, 612 W. 112th St, Dec. 22; attorney, Middlebrook & B., 46 Cedar St....$2,000

CLINTON AV, n w cor Oakland Place, 23x100x22.8x100; Dora Barsky and another to Louis Epstein, 762 Cauldwell Av, mtg $15,000, Dec. 22; attorney, Title Guar. Co., 176 Broadway....$100

CRESTON AV, 2,259, w s, 37.6x125; Mary Lydon to Cath. Murphy, 67 East 85th St, mtg $3,500, Dec. 22; attorney, Title Guar. Co., 176 Broadway; o. c. and....$100

FAILE ST, 1,045, w s, 20x100; Adam P. Schmitt to Lena Stoller, 1,000 Fox St, mtg $7,500, Dec. 22; attorney, Title Guar. Co., 176 Broadway; o. c. and....$100

FRANKLIN AV, 1,391, w s, 20x94.2; Oreste Salomone to Philippine Salomone, 1,391 Franklin Av, mtg $500, Nov. 29, 1918; attorney, A. C. Morgan, 31 Nassau St....$900

FORD ST, s s, 100 ft w of Webster Av, 25x110.6x25x111.6; Wm. Wendelken to Helen Wendelken, 1,420 Crotona Av, Dec. 23; attorney, S. Williamson, 364 Alexander Av..$1

SAME PROPERTY; Helen Wendelken to Max Berliner, 638 E. 169th St, mtg $1,898, Dec. 16; attorney, same; o. c. and....$100

FOX ST, w s, 160 ft s of Longwood Av, 25x100; Central Union Trust Co. and another to Willy Gruber, 308 East 83d St, Dec. 3; attorney, S. B. Ferris, 165 Broadway..$1,700

HOLLAND AV, e s, 295 ft n of Morris Park av, 25x100; Adam Anderson to John E. McGill, 1,830 Holland Av, mtg $2,500, Dec. 22; attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway....$100

JACKSON AV, e s, 100 ft s of 161st St, 72.7x75; Wm. Bondy, referee, to Albert W. Pross, 22 Claremont Parkway, and another, Dec. 22; attorney, Middlebrook & B., 46 Cedar St....$8,000

LOTS 380 to 383, map of Claflin Estate; John J. Fagan to Nicholas Schlemmer, 234 West 198th St, mtg $2,240, Dec. 15; attorney, G. A. Steimmeller, 1,511 3d Av.; o. c. and....$100

LOTS 110 to 113, 125 to 127, map B. Stern; Augustus G. Miller to Clara Miller, Shore Drive, Dec. 20; attorney, J. J. Cokeley, 3,150 E. Tremont Av....$1

LOTS 24 and 25, Parcel 9, map William B. Ogden; Henry Hicks to Anna McDermott, 322 St. Nicholas Av, mtg $840, June 14, 1,907; attorney, Anna McDermott, 322 St. Nicholas Av; o. c. and....$100

MACY PL, 875, n s, 25x140; Louis Schwartzreich to William Kashner, 600 Oak Terrace, mtg $7,000, Dec. 15; attorney, Samuel Langfur, 299 Broadway, o. c. and....$100

MARION AV, 2,782, s e s, 26.1x99.11x26x102.11; Jas. W. Hallock to Sadie Oscheowitz, 1,804 Belmont Av, mtg $5,000, Dec. 22; attorney, Title Guar. Co., 176 Broadway; o. c. and....$100

PERRY AV, e s, 20 ft n of 205th St, 25x100; Josephine Reinhardt and another to Theresia Binzen to Jennie Tackney, 355 East 185th St, mtg $6,000, Dec. 11; attorney, O. E. Davis, 3,210 3d Av....$8,500

ST. ANN'S AV, 358, e s, 25x90; Anna Weiner to Meyer Harris, 1,830 Dean St, Brooklyn, mtg $8,500, Dec. 1; attorney, E. A. Langfur, 299 Broadway....$1

TINTON AV, 633, w s, 37.6x100; Meyer Alpert to Max S. Levine, 598 West 143d St, Dec. 22; attorneys, Morrison & S., 320 Broadway; o. c. and....$100

TRINITY AV, 698, e s, 18.9x78x18.9x79.4; L. & B. Construction Co. to Isaac Goldsticker, 591 Prospect Av, mtg $3,500, Dec. 20; attorney, M. A. Rabinovitch, 230 Grand St; o. c. and....$100

VALENTINE AV, e s, 39.8 ft n of 182d St, 16.8x66.6x16.9x61.9; John Mulholland, referee, to Bankers Trust Co., Dec. 18; attorneys, Hamilton & F., 100 Broadway..$4,000

WASHINGTON AV, 2,082, e s, 25x95x23.2x95; Ike Sudakow to Jacob Barth, 1,991 Washington Av, mtg $4,500, Dec. 20; attorney, M. Rosenthal 489 Tremont Av..$100

WASHINGTON AV, 2,006, e s, 20x93.2; Cath. Roach to Irene E. Hendrick, 240 5th Av, New Rochelle, N. Y., mtg $6,500, Dec. 22; attorney, Wm. C. Daly, 217 Broadway; o. c. and....$100

WESTCHESTER AV, s e corner of Faile St, e 50x s e 105.7x e 4.11x s 28x w 100 to street x n 91 to beginning; Wildor Realty Co. to Great Northern Apartment Corp., 842 Hewitt Place, mtg $84,750, Dec. 20; attorneys, Morrison & S., 320 Broadway; o. c. and....$100

164TH ST, 496 East, s s, 40x100; N. & P. Realty Co. to Abe Warpmuk, 547 Dumont Av, Brooklyn, and another, Dec. 20; attorney, Title Guar. Co., 176 Broadway; o. c. and....$100

179TH ST, 862 East, s s, — e 25 x s 100 x w 8 x n 99.10 to beginning; Lulu J. Schofield to Abe Karp, 2,304 Crotona Av and ano, mtg $2,750, Dec. 19; attorney, M. A. Rabinovitch, 230 Grand St, o. c. and...$100

180TH ST, 968 East, s s, 40x100x40x99.11; James Forbes to James Forbes, Jr., 2,114 Daly Av, mtg $29,000, Dec. 22; C. P. Hallock, 999 East 180th St; o. c. and....$100

182D ST, s s, 84.3 ft e of Washington Av, 18x69.3x18.2x72.11; Charles L. Hoffman, referee, to Lilian O. and Eva M. Shiff, Brooklyn, Oct. 29, 1909; attorney, Lawyers T. Co., 160 Broadway....$8,000

214TH ST, 841 E, e s, 28.8x109.6; Margarethe Banks to Johanna Hertsch, 675 E 241st St, mtg $2,500, Dec. 22; attorney, Title Guarantee Co., 176 Broadway, o. c. and....$100

RECORDED MORTGAGES.

With name and address of lender and lender's attorney. Interest is at 5 per cent. unless otherwise specified.

Manhattan.

BROOME ST, n w corner Wooster St, 99.10x75x100x75, Dec. 2, The 430 Corp. to Leon C. Spalding, North Rochester, N. H. et al.; attorneys, Wilcox & Van Allen, Buffalo, N. Y....$95,000

BOND ST, 34, 26.3x110, p. m., Dec. 15; Philip Lipin and Samuel Porelson to Hattie A. Booth, 231 South 2d St, Brooklyn, due and interest, as bond; attorney, L. T. Knox, 347 5th Av....$15,000

BROADWAY, w s; 70th St, s s; 69th St, n s, and Amsterdam Av, w s, leasehold; Northway Holding Co. to Nevada Realty Co., 115 Broadway, due Nov. 1, 1932, no interest; attorneys, Babbage & S., 111 B'way.$200,100

CENTRAL PARK WEST, 131-39, n w corner 73d St, 204.4 to s s 74th St x100, p m, Dec. 20; Northold and Southold to Gottmore Holding Co., 209 B'way, installs, 6 p. c., prior mtg $1,825; attorney, Herman Gottlieb, 299 B'way....$60,000

FRONT ST, 67-69, s s, 58 ft w of Old Slip, 36.8x88.9xirregular, p. m., Dec. 22; West Beach Realty Corp. to Everett P. Wheeler, Wappinger, Dutchess County, N. Y., due Dec. 1, 1921, 5½ p. c.; attorney, T. G. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$22,500

PELL ST, 29-33, n s, 46.[illegible] ft e of Mott St, 98.8x102.10x original, p. m., Dec. 22; Leeng Nom Co. to Bridge Cafe, 60 Wall St, 5 years, 6 p. c.; attorneys, Wentbrook, L. & S., 60 Wall St....$50,000

SOUTH ST, 385, n s, 50 ft w of Jackson St, 56x104.4x irregular, p. m., Dec. 15; Isidore and Jacob Kaufmann to Emily S. Crow, 101 West 78th St, 3 years, 6 p. c., prior mtg $10,000; attorney, George A. Nagle, Queens County Trust Bldg., Jamaica, L. I....$5,000

WASHINGTON ST, e s, 20x— to w s of alley, with rights to alley, p. m., Dec. 22; Regina B. Saportas to Edw. C. Cammann of Merrick, L. I., trustee and executor, 3 years; attorneys, Cadwalader, W. & T., 40 Wall St....$12,000

WEST ST, 175, e s, 26.6x88.4, p. m., Dec. 22; S. Renkoff to American Mtg. Co., due Feb. 1, 1920, 5½ p. c.; attorneys, Middlebrook & B., 46 Cedar St....$23,000

10TH AV, 821, w s, 75.5 ft n of 54th St, 25x100, p. m., Dec. 18; Bertha Mayer to Albert M. Manville, Tuxedo Park, N. Y., 5 years, 5½ p. c.; attorney, Charles V. Scanlon, 51 Chambers St....$15,000

23D ST, 158 West, s s, 22.6x98.9, P. M., Dec. 23; K. and A. Realty Co. to Amanda Heyman, 225 West 86th St, due Dec. 31, 1929; attorney, Max Stern, 31 Liberty St....$85,000

27TH ST, 209 West, n s, 25x98.9, p. m., Dec. 8; Fanny Harris and another to Rosena C. Hafner, 330 West 101st St, 5 years, 6 p. c.; prior mtg $19,750; attorney, Robert A. B. Dayton, 15 William St....$15,000

28TH ST, 342 West, s s, 21.5x98.9, Dec. 20; Adrienne and Henrietta Tenu to Lillian Clare, Graham Court, 116th St and 7th Av, 2 years, 5½ p. c.; attorneys, Warren & McG., 61 Broadway....$1,500

36TH ST, 42 West, s s, 16.7x98.9, Dec. 22; The 42 West 36th St Corp. to Adolph A. Hageman, 203 Marlboro Road, B'klyn, due Jan. 1, 1925, 6 p. c., prior mtg $30,000; attorneys, Alexander & G., 120 B'way..$6,250

42D ST, 202 West, s s, 20x49.4; 42d St, 208 West, s s, 20x49.4, Dec. 18; Julia F. and Elizabeth A. Paddell to George Ehret, 1,197 Park Av; $35,000 of this mtg is given as additional security to two mtgs recorded Nov. 13, 1911, and Jan. 12, 1912; attorney, E. M. Burghard, 111 Broadway..$93,000

48TH ST, 247 East, n s, 20x100.5, Dec. 22; Turtle Bay Holding Co. to Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway, due and interest as per bond; party of 2d part holds prior mtg $9,500....$500

49TH ST, 238 East, s s, 19x100.5, Dec. 22; F. C. Farley to Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 B'way; due and interest, as per bond....$10,000

49TH ST, 62 West, leasehold, P. M., Dec. 22; Jos. Biastre to Harry De B. Parsons, 125 East 72d, et al, exrs, &c., due Nov. 15, 1924, 6 p. c.; attorneys, Scott, G. & B., 46 Cedar St....$9,500

72D ST, 38 East, s s, 23.6x102.2, p. m., Dec. 23; Edwin W. Lancaster to Amanda L. Hoff, 38 East 72d St, 3 years, 5½ p. c.; attorney, Samuel Hoff, 50 East 42d St....$60,000

75TH ST, 5 West, n s, 23x102.2, Dec. 15; Jessie P. Wright to Jas. A. Brady, 2,025 Broadway, 3 yrs, prior mtg $25,000..$25,000

100TH ST, 105 East, n s, 25x75, p. m., Dec. 5; Benjamin Graham to Hudwill Corp., 7 West 45th St, due Dec. 1, 1922, 5½ p. c., prior mtg $10,000; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway....$3,500

102D ST, s s, 79.8 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 20.9x50.11, p. m., Dec. 20; New Holding Co. to Dora H. Hermes, 945 Park Av, Woodcliff, N. J., due Oct 28, 1922, 6 p. c., prior mtg $8,500; attorney, T. G. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$1,700

109TH ST, 60 East, s s, 17.2x100.11, Nov. 14; Emma Jacobson to Ada C. Lockwood, 192 Claremont Av, as comm. Abbie G. Lockwood, 3 years, 5½ p. c.; attorney, T. G. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$4,500

110TH ST, 2 East, s s, 25x100.11, p. m., Dec. 22; Mary B. Slevin to Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank, 5 years, 5½ p. c.; attorneys, R. & E. J. O'Gorman, 51 Chambers St....$20,000

112TH ST, 116 East, s s, 17.1x100.11, p. m., Dec. 5; Isaac Schwimmer to Minnie A. Crozier, 142 Clarkson St, Brooklyn, due June 5, 1921, 6 p. c.; attorney, S. N. Haberman, 320 Broadway....$1,000

123D ST, 213 West, n s, 100.11x15.7x irregular, Dec. 19; Ida Krauss to Charles Reiner, 1,106 Garden St, Hoboken, N. J., 6 months, 6 p. c., mtg $6,750; attorney, Louis J. Gold, 132 Nassau St....$1,000

135TH ST, s s, 50 ft e of 5th Av, 50x99.11, p. m., Dec. 22; Klein Import Corp. to Joseph S. Burrows, 328 West 34th St, 5½ p. c.; attorney, N. Y. T. & M. Co., 135 Broadway....$14,000

135TH ST, 246-50 West, s s, 55.3x99.11, Dec. 22; James W. Rose to William Goldstone, 140 West 69th St, installments, 6 p. c., prior mtg $16,800; attorneys, Myers & S., 299 Broadway....$2,500

138TH ST, s s, 101.6 ft w of 7th Av, 22x99.11, p. m., Dec. 1; Annie Payne to Equitable Life Assur. Society, 5 years; attorneys, Alexander & G., 120 Broadway.$11,250

138TH ST, n s, 414.6 ft w of 7th Av, 17x99.11, p. m., Oct. 1; Jerome P. Ottley to Equitable Life Assur. Society, 5 years; attorneys, Alexander & G., 120 B'way..$8,500

139TH ST, s s, 197.6 ft w of 7th Av, 17x99.11, p. m., Dec. 1; Edna P. Billups to Equitable Life Assur. Society, 5 years; attorneys, Alexander & G., 120 Broadway....$8,700

139TH ST, s s, 312.6 ft w of 7th Av, 17x99.11, p. m., Dec. 1; Edna P. Billups to same, 5 years; attorneys, Alexander & G., 120 Broadway....$8,700

139TH ST, s s, 180.3 ft w of 7th Av, 17x99.11, p. m., Dec. 1; Julia A. Mitchell to same, 5 years; attorneys, same....$8,700

152D ST, 263-5 West, n s, 50x99.11, Dec. 2; Dorothy Reinwald to the State Bank, 378 Grand St, due June 1, 1932....$3,500

156TH ST, 550 West, s s, 17x99.11, P. M., Dec. 22; Maude G. Jones to Adolph G. Seilem, 525 West 120th St, 5 yrs; attorney, F. M. Clark, 27 Cedar St....$10,000

228TH ST, 162 West, w s, 143.2 ft n of Kingsbridge Av, 30x100, p. m., Dec. 20; Selah B. Masten to Charlotte Padelinetti, 352 William St, East Orange, N. J., exrx., installments; attorneys, Rabe & K., 258 Broadway....$1,500

Bronx.

ANTHONY AV, 1,959, w s, 21x69.11; Belle Rosenthal to Barbara G. Hahn, 2,000 7th Av, Dec. 22, due Jan. 1, 1923, 5½ p. c.; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$2,400

ARTHUR AV, 2,123, w s, 25x95; Prisco Motta and another to Mary I. Zimmerman, 2,123 Arthur Av, prior mtg $4,000, Dec. 22, installments, 5½ p. c.; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..$3,000

CRESTON AV, 2,259, w s, 37.6x125; Catharine Murphy to Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway, Dec. 22, due and interest as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$5,000

FORD ST, s s, 100 ft w of Webster Av, 25x110.6; Max Berliner to Helen Wendelken, 1,420 Crotona Av, Dec. 16, due as per bond, 6 p. c.; attorney, S. Williamson, 364 Alexander Av....$1,102

FOX ST, w s, 160 ft s of Longwood Av; Willy Gruber to Central Union Trust Co., 80 Broadway, and another, trustee, Dec. 3, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, S. B. Ferris, 165 Broadway....$1,190

HOLLAND AV, e s, 295 ft n of Morris Park Av, 25x100; John E. McGill to Adam Anderson, 1,830 Holland Av, prior mtg $2,500, Dec. 22, 5 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Title Guar. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$3,500

JACKSON AV, 475, w s, 25x166.11; Camilla Matrone to Pauline Hodgson, 153 East 179th St, Dec. 20, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Title Guar. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$2,500

LOTS 211 and 212, map Section 3, St. Raymond Park; Isabella Bigley to Mary H. Tallman, 281 Grand Av, Astoria, L. I., Dec 19, 3 years; attorney, Title Guar. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$2,500

ST. ANN'S AV, 358, e s, 25x90; Meyer Harris to Samuel Epstein, 1,181 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, Dec. 10, 4 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Max B. Lesser, 132 Nassau St....$3,000

TRINITY AV, 698, e s, 18.9x78.6; Isaac Goldsticker to Isidor Laugne, 700 Trinity Av, Dec. 20, due, &c., as per bond; attorney, M. A. Rubinovitch, 230 Grand St....$875

TIER AV, s s, adjoining land Freeman. 25x100; City Island; George W. Baxter to Alfred B. Booth, 2,002 Hughes Av, Dec. 20, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, A. B. Booth, 2,002 Hughes Av....$2,000

WASHINGTON AV, 2,006, e s, 20x93.2; Irene B. Hendrick to Catharine Roach, 2,539 Grand Av, prior mtg $6,500, Dec. 22, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorneys, Babbage & S., 111 Broadway....$1,000

WASHINGTON AV, 2,082; Jacob Barth to Jake Sudakow, Sea Gate, N. Y., prior mtg $4,500, Dec. 20, due March 20, 1921, 6 p. c.; attorney, Joseph N. Schultz, 350 Broadway....$1,000

WHITLOCK AV, 860, e s, 39x90; Morris Feldman to W. C. P. Realty Co., 406 East 49th St, Dec. 22, due July 1, 1924, 6 p. c.; attorney, Samuel Bitterman, 309 Broadway....$6,834

164TH ST, 496 East, s s, 40x100; Abe and Simon Wapniak to N. & P. Realty Co., 391 East 149th St, prior mtg $24,500, Dec. 20, 5 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Title Guar. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$7,500

ASSIGNMENTS OF MORTGAGES.

Manhattan.

BROADWAY, w s, 363.1 ft s of 228th St, and property in the Bronx; Lamont McLaughlin to Edw. E. Schreiber and Chas. A. and Jos. C. Schreiber, 1,217 Thatford St, Ozone Park, B. of Q., 3 1-6 parts; 3 assignments, each....$1

LEXINGTON AV, 1,584-88, filed and satisfied Dec. 22, 1919; American Mort. Co. to Mary D. Gerard; attorney, T. G. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$28,260.56

2D AV, 2,126; Louis D. Alessandro to Geo. Izzo, 942 East 179th St; attorneys, Geo. W. Bruno & Co., 57 Thompson St....$100

3D AV, 1,933; Thos. J. McCahill to Larchmont National Bank, at Larchmont, N. Y.; attorney, B. C. Meighan, 120 Broadway..$1

10TH ST, 19 West; J. Frederic Kernochan, exr., to Charles W. O'Connor, 19 West 10th St and another, trustees; attorney, W. H. O'Connor, 20 Vesey St....$10,000

28TH ST, 206-208 East; Mary C. Adams, extrx, to Alice G. Searles and Alice G. Searles to Susan S. Binner, 200 West 86th St; attorney, Louis F. Doyle, 111 Broadway; 2 assignments, each....$5,000

29TH ST, 214 West; Henry Bohmfalk to Henrietta E. Bohmfalk, 128 East 45th St; attorneys, Henry, M. & M., 277 Broadway....$18,000

40TH ST, 7 East; Isabel M. Cobden et al, exrs, to Lawyers Mort. Co. & Lawyers Mort. Co. to Hyde F. Weekes at Oyster Bay, L. I., address 159 Liberty St; 2 assignments, each....$75,000

45TH ST, 35-39 West; Guaranty Trust Co. of N. Y. to State Realty & Mort. Co., 18 East 41st St....$4,000

79TH ST, 129 West, 113th St, 67 West, 136th St, 611-13 West; Bell B. Gurnee et al, exrs, to Bell B. Gurnee of Westbury, L. I., et al, trustees; attorneys, Sullivan & C., 49 Wall St; 3 assignments....$81,300

115TH ST, 616-620 West; North Holding Co. to Rudolph F. Shortemeier, Hoboken, N. J.; attorney, Albert W. Bonynge, 170 Broadway....$1

189TH ST, n s, 100 ft w of Audubon Av; Gertie A. Gorman to Bankers Trust Co., 16 Wall St; attorneys, White & Case, 14 Wall St....$1

Bronx.

EDWARDS Av, w s, Lot 181, map Seton Homestead, 26.6x76.7; Sarah A. Wright to Ann Jackson, 718 West 178th St; attorney, Ann Jackson, 718 West 178th St....$2,000

GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, n w corner 165th St, 102.11x12.6; Amanda Wundram to Agnes Boecher, 1,160 Washington Av; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 B'way....$1

MACY PLACE, 871; Louis Schwartzreich to Alspear Corp.; attorney, L. A. Sable, 57 Chambers St....$1

MAPES AV, 1,971; Dormar Realty Corp. to Harris Maran, 427 Ft. Washington Av, and ano; attorney, Jacob Maran, 132 Nassau St....$1

NEWBOLD AV, 2,317-19; James A. Trowbridge to Title Guar. & T. Co., 176 Broadway....$2,500

POPHAM AV, e s, Lots 233 to 235, map Undercliff Terrace; Geo. Notman et al, exrs, to Stadacona Co., 99 John St; attorney, Douglas A. McC., 233 B'way....$5,000

PROSPECT AV, w s, 67.6 ft s of 168th St, 37.6x105; John Wiehe and ano, exrs, to Emma Schwarzler, 2,990 Perry Av; attorney, E. Schwarzler, 2,990 Perry Av....$5,131

TRINITY AV, e s, 214.11 ft n of 165th St, 18.9x90; John C. Baker et al, trustee, to Hy Roeder, 1,170 Stebbins Av; attorney, Title Guar. and Trust Co., 176 B'way, $5,000

VALENTINE AV, 2,440; Ralph C. Neuroth to Mary D. Unguch, 854 West 180th St; attorneys, Strauss, R. & B., 141 Broadway....$1

VYSE AV, 1,491; Barnett Mandel to Isaac Peskin, 759 Jennings St; attorney, Isaac Peskin, 759 Jennings St....$500

WEST FARMS ROAD, 1,493; Central Union Trust Co., trustee, to Sarah E. Harney, 233 West 27th St, Los Angeles, Cal.; attorneys, Dunn & D., 26 Broadway....$100

145TH ST, 526 East; Elizabeth Schoepps to Francis V. D. Lloyd, Ridgefield Park, N. J.; attorneys, Morrison, L. & M., Hackensack, N. J....$1

SAME PROPERTY; Francis V. D. Lloyd to Margaret Schoepps, same address; attorney, same....$1

149TH ST, 145 East; Otto J. Kalt to Margaret Wohn, 1,195 Washington Av; attorney, Thomas C. Patterson, 529 Courtlandt Av....$1

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BOWERY, 199-201, People's Theatre, &c., all; Jos. Edelstein to Mazda Amusement Corp., 5 years from June 1, 1919; attorney, Samuel Dickstein, 280 Broadway....Taxes, &c., and $30,000

BROADWAY, 1,236, store; Hurlbert Grand Hotel Co. to Abraham Harris, 131 West 110th St, 5 years from Nov. 1, 1919....$6,500 to $7,500

EAST BROADWAY, 177, all; Louisiana Brown to Samuel Wolf, 96 East 10th St, et al, from Dec. 1, 1919, to April 30, 1940; attorney, I. M. Sackin, 198 Broadway.$3,750

PRINCE ST, 100, all; Manhattan Leasing Co. to Barak Wasserman, 351 Canal St, and another, 5 years from Feb. 1, 1920; attorney, E. I. Yuells, 280 Broadway..$7,000

WEST END AV, 512, all; Martha H. Kauth to Louis Seidman, 200 West 72d St, 4 years 9½ months from Dec. 15, 1919; attorney, E. R. Eckley, 2 Rector St....$4,000

33D ST, 119 West, all; United Shirt Shops et al to Max Sulken, 2,364 83d St, Brooklyn, from Jan. 20, 1920, to Sept. 29, 1949; attorney, H. S. Mansfield, 55 Liberty St....$9,000 and $10,000

113TH ST, 550 West, all; David J. Newman to Louis Seidman, 200 West 72d St, 7 4-12 years from June 1, 1920; attorney, E. R. Eckley, 2 Rector St....$2,000

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FORDHAM ROAD, n e corner of Jerome Av, 260.7 ft to Morris Av x163x irregular, all; Zealie Van Raalte to David A. Schulte, 272 West 90th St, and another, 21 2-12 years from Dec. 1, 1919; attorney, D. A. Schulte, Inc., 386 Broadway....$41,200

WASHINGTON AV, 1,838 and 1,840, all; Jacob Marx to Interborough Metal Bedstead Co., 1,838 Washington Av, 5 years from Jan. 1, 1920; attorney, B. S. Deutsch, 261 Broadway....$2,160

151ST ST, 411 East, all; Robert J. Moorehead to Paul Bernstein, 646 East 152d St, 5 years from March 1, 1919; attorney, Paul Bernstein, 411 East 151st St....$1,400

MECHANICS' LIENS.

Manhattan.

28TH ST, 24 West; Gartner Co., Inc., against Doughty and Frances G. Jackson, owners; Elk Restaurant and Bakery Co., Inc., lessee and contractor....$8,541

23D ST, 110 East, Fells, Lent & Cantor, Inc., against Oswald Oelschlager, owner; Stertz & Co., contractor....$173.20

23D ST, 215 and 217 East; Oscar Aronowitz against Frederick J. Powell, owner and contractor; Amelia J. Powell, owner..$300

5TH AV, 471; Adolph Schreck against Guardian Holding Co., Inc., owner; Schotz-Powers Co., Inc., contractor....$55

89TH ST, 332 West; John F. Keough against Mary B. Crook, owner and contractor.$5,000

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136TH ST, 343 East; East River Mill and Lumber Co. against Silverson Contr. Co., lessee and contractor, (renewal)....$285.04

SATISFIED MECHANICS' LIENS.

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150TH ST, 476 West; Glass & Weiss, Inc., against 470 West 150th St. Corp., et al; Jan. 5, 1918....$5,403.68

1ST AV, 2,054 to 2,058; United "77" Building Co., Inc., against Anthony Sorge, et al; Nov. 13, 1919....$1,925

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ELM PLACE, 2,471; Ely Anoowitz against W. J. Cerelinm et al; Oct. 25, 1919..$12.50

LIS PENDENS.

Manhattan.

72D ST, 120 and 122 West; Isidor Hirshberg against Samuel Wheeler et al (specific performance); attorney, M. J. Katz.

GOERCK ST, 71 and 73; Julius J. Dukas, trustee, against Isaac Fried et al (ejectment proceedings); attorney, S. F. Hyman.

Bronx.

LOT 72, Map of South Belmont; Anna R. Crossin against Gustave Cerf et al (partition suit); attorney, H. Swain.

LOT 5, Block 3391, Section 12, Tax Map; Frank L. Montague against Tax Lien Co. of N. Y. et al (action to foreclose transfer of tax lien); attorneys, Warner & Korb.

LOT 22, Block 3372, Section 12, Tax Map; same against same (action same); attorneys, same.

LOT 8, Block 3341, Section 12, Tax Map; same against same (action same); attorneys, same.

WASHINGTON AV, w s, 295.8 ft n of 178th St, 53.8x146; Acacia, Inc., against Leo Abraham et al (action to cancel agreement); attorneys, Aronson & Salant.

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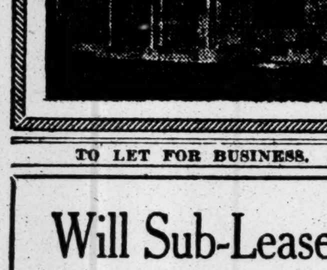

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Loft wanted; or office and showroom space, with or without fixtures; 23d-42d Sts. De Rosa, 1,133 Broadway. Watkins 3042.

Office wanted; location between 23d and 30th Sts., Broadway or 5th Av. P 48 Times.

Office wanted, 26th-34th, 4th to 6th Av.; about 200 sq. ft. Madison Square 939.

Small brokerage office wanted in financial district. D 269 Times.

APARTMENTS TO LET.

Furnished—East Side.

5TH AV. (N. E. cor 45th St.)—High-class furnished bachelor apartment, newly decorated; two rooms and bath; can take immediate possession. For full particulars apply Supt., 547 5th Av.

11TH ST. (near 5th Av.)—Unusually attractive second floor, freshly decorated; light, quiet; three large rooms and bath, $250 monthly; lease. Stuyvesant 488.

30TH (Corner Lexington Av., 163)—Apartment hotel, exclusively for women; corner suite, 2 rooms, bath, beautifully furnished; $30 weekly up. Hotel Rutledge.

30TH, 4 EAST—Apartment, 2 rooms, kitchenette, sublet furnished; call afternoons. Simpson.

32D ST., 34 EAST—Attention, furnished apartment, 2 and 3 rooms and bath, $20 weekly up; full hotel service; one block from subway. Hotel St. Louis.

44TH, 9 EAST—Ideal entertaining apartment; studio 600 feet; open fireplace; small bedroom, bath, kitchen. Vanderbilt 5925.

52D ST., 34 EAST—Handsomely furnished apartment, full of sunshine, 2-3 rooms, kitchenette; elevator, steam heat and maid service; open fireplaces furnished or unfurnished; near Park Av.

59TH, 23 EAST—Two and three-room elevator apartments.

93D (Corner Madison Av.)—Apartment hotel, new corner suite, 2 rooms, bath, beautifully furnished; $50 per room up. Hotel Ashton.

APARTMENTS—FURNISHED.
Choice localities; long, short leases.
East and west sides.
CLARK REALTY COMPANY,
347 Madison Av. Tel. Vanderbilt 1450.

HOTEL ASHTON.
MADISON AV. (S. W. Cor. 93d St.)—Newly decorated apartments, one room and bath, $50 up; two rooms, bath, $75 up; hotel service; extraordinary value; block from park; restaurant. Telephone Lenox 272.

MADISON AV. (Near 37th St.)—Two room, bath and kitchenette apartment, just finished by leading New York decorater. Apply Mountain Community, 176 Madison Av. Phone Murray Hill 7450.

MADISON AV. (60th St.)—Attractively furnished sunny outside 2-3 rooms, bath, kitchenette, elevator; every comfort. Plaza 7484.

MADISON, 1,309, 93d—Large room, private house; improvements; gentleman. Phone Lenox 940.

APARTMENTS TO LET.

Furnished—East Side.

SAN JACINTO, 18 EAST 60TH ST.
Sublet large room, bath, southern exposure.

Furnished—West Side.

43D ST., 26 WEST—Two rooms, bath, kitchenette; maid service; $125. Higinbotham.

45TH, 341 WEST—New elevator building; cleanliness; furnishings unequaled; 1-2-3 rooms, bath; tiled kitchens, kitchenettes; no questionable applicants; highest references. $60-$125 monthly upward. Tel. Bryant 6355.

48TH (Near 5th Av.)—Four light rooms, bath; $60 week; 6 or 8 weeks. Bryant 8090. Before 10.

48TH-5TH AV.—Front room; open fireplace; two windows; running water; newly decorated; $55. J 91 Times.

49TH, 104 WEST—Two, three room apartment, outside living room, sunny bedroom, tiled bath; absolutely clean; $35 weekly; Southern restaurant; service. Hotel Maryland.

50'S—6 rooms, 2 baths; 9th floor; new building; $400. Phone Columbus 1278.

50'S, 5 ROOMS, 2 BATHS, $450 month, 3 months. Particulars Vanderbilt 1450.

52D, (near 5th Av.)—Attractively furnished four rooms, two baths. Circle 3882.

57TH, 200 WEST (OPPOSITE CARNEGIE).—Unusually attractive duplex in delightful Rodin Studios; immense living room with log fireplace and balcony, bedroom, kitchenette, bath; refrigeration, maid service, restaurant; immediate possession. Apt. 3E, Circle 3560.

57TH ST., 205 WEST, THE OSBORNE, Corner 7th Av.—Handsomely furnished housekeeping apartment of 9 rooms and 3 baths, additional maid's rooms; exceptionally large rooms, with high ceilings; immediate possession; $650 per month until Oct. 1. See Superintendent or telephone Circle 5420.

57TH, 340 WEST (The Clintonia)—Modern elevator apartment, newly furnished; hotel service; 2-3 rooms and bath; $50 per room up; restaurant. Tel. Columbus 134.

57TH, 301 WEST (Apt. 2-D)—Leaving town, will sell or rent 2 room-kitchenette apartment; references.

57TH, 100 WEST.—Two rooms, bath, nicely furnished; $225. Ring 3 East.

58TH, 21 WEST—Magnificently furnished 2 rooms, kitchenette; new building; maid, valet service; restaurant in building. Apt. 74.

59TH—3 ROOMS, BATH, KITHENETTE, $350 MONTH; 2 BEDROOMS; SHORT LEASE. VANDERBILT 1450.

59TH ST., 38 WEST.
Sublet 3 rooms, bath, kitchenette.

61ST, 10 WEST (Corner Broadway)—The Pasadena; two to five rooms, with kitchens or kitchenettes, on lease; $150 to $300 monthly; hotel service.

69TH, 68 WEST—Two handsome rooms, bath, kitchenette; $140 monthly; refined residence.

69TH, 245 WEST (the new West End)—Two-room apartment, bath, kitchenette; $70-$85; references required.

70S, WEST END—Eight rooms, two baths, modern elevator building; very handsomely furnished; season, year. Gray, Columbus 3974.

70'S—4-room elevator apartment; new building; $300 month. Phone Columbus 1277.

72D—Subway; 5 rooms, 2 bedrooms; handsomely furnished. Details Columbus 3974.

72D, 165 WEST—Two rooms and bath; completely furnished. Apartment 3R.

73D ST., 126 WEST (Hotel Nobleton)—Several beautifully furnished 2-room suites with bath; moderate weekly and monthly rates; suites $115 monthly and up.

75TH, 158 WEST—One or two rooms with bath; details to suit immediate tenants, gentlemen especially; good service.

76TH, 56 WEST—Parlor floor in private residence; $125 month.

77TH ST., 50 WEST—Hotel suite of sitting room, chamber, private bath and shower; $185 per month; facing street.

80TH, 142 WEST—Two bedrooms, living room, kitchen, large rooms; $175. Bishop.

84TH (Near Broadway)—Couple will share part or whole of handsome 4-room apartment; piano; references. Schuyler 8155.

86TH, 309 WEST—2 rooms and bath in fine modern fireproof apartment hotel for January, February, and March. See Superintendent.

87TH, 323 WEST—Beautiful parlor floor, 3 rooms, bath, kitchenette, service, $140; 3d floor, 2 rooms, kitchenette, $75.

90'S—7 rooms, 2 baths; front; new building; unusual large rooms; real home; never rented before; bargain; $325. Columbus 1277.

96TH AND RIVERSIDE—2 rooms, bath, entry, 12th floor; recently furnished, or unfurnished; Oct. 1. Phone operator, Riverside 7696.

114TH, 611 WEST (Apt. 21)—Eight light rooms, beautifully furnished; reasonable.

APARTMENT—A visit or telephone call will positively bring you your ideal furnished apartment; hundreds listed; unquestionably best organization. Phone Bryant 7993-343. Pierre & Golden, 220 West 42d St.

APARTMENT, five light, sunny, outside rooms, comfortably furnished; possession Jan. 1, six months; $100. Apply 398 West 145th.

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APARTMENT HUNTING UNNECESSARY—Personally inspected. Consult Mrs. Dingleman, Renting Specialist, 129 West 72d St. Columbus 836.

APARTMENT SPECIALIST ($175 upward)—Wickliffe Gray, 269 West 73d. Columbus 3974.

CENTRAL PARK WEST, 302—Lease 9 months, elegantly furnished 2-room apartment; maid service; $135. Apt. 4J.

CLAREMONT AV., 29, Eton Hall, (116th St., Between Riverside and Broadway)—Splendidly furnished apartment, eight rooms, two baths, until Oct. 1; beautiful view, overlooking Columbia grounds; $300 monthly. Lichtenstein, 29 Claremont Av.

CHOICE FURNISHED APARTMENTS. E. F. Van Winkle, 156 W. 72d. Col. 1077.

CONVENT AV., 25 (Apt. 4)—Three-room apartment, all improvements, $50. Inquire Mrs. Berlew. Phone Morningside 8420.

EDGECOMBE AV., 369—For rent, cosy, newly furnished 3-room apartment to refined couple; references. HOORENS.

HIGH-CLASS FURNISHED APARTMENTS to sublet, season or longer. Apply Slawson & Hobbs, 162 West 72d.

In Greenwich Village—3 light rooms, couple or 2 serious men; references required; great bargain. Phone Spring 4419.

To sublease until October, 6-room furnished apartment; 95th and Riverside. Phone Riverside 3192, Apt. 64. Kenyon.

WEST END AV, 829—Beautiful, furnished apartment, immediate possession, 7 rooms, until April 1; $250. Call between 11 and 1. Mrs. B. Miller.

WEST END AV. (80's)—7 rooms, 3 baths; new building; $475. Columbus 1278.

Furnished—Brooklyn.

Ocean Av., Prospect Park—Handsomely furnished six-room apartment. Phone Broad. 7678.

Unfurnished—East Side.

60TH, 138 EAST—Elegant apartment of two rooms, kitchenette, and bath; rent $95. Inquire at premises or phone Lenox 165.

60TH, 42 EAST—Studio and dwelling apartment, 4th floor; conveniences. Plaza 2974.

61ST, 127 EAST—2 rooms, bath, newly remodeled; open fireplace; service; possession Jan. 1; $1,500-$1,800; particulars. Clark Realty, 347 Madison Av. Vanderbilt 1450.

93D ST. (corner Madison Av.)—Apartment hotel; beautiful new corner suite, 2 rooms and bath; $50 per room up. Hotel Ashton

IRVING PLACE, 76, (Gramercy Park Section)—5 rooms, bath and kitchen; $2,300 per year. Telephone 3045 Gramercy.

664 MADISON AV.
Handsome 3 extra large rooms, kitchen and bath; parquet flooring; steam heat; modern; $2,400 year.

MADISON AV., 935 (corner 74th St.)—Two, three rooms and bath, just completed; most desirable section.

Unfurnished—West Side.

57TH ST., 205 WEST—The Osborne, corner 7th Av., housekeeping apartment of 12 rooms and 6 baths; additional maids' rooms, exceptionally large rooms with high ceilings, immediate possession; $625 per month to Oct. 1 or longer. See superintendent or telephone Circle 5420.

89TH, 332 WEST (Riverside)—Two rooms, bath, kitchenette. Agent, 12 to 3.

115TH, 604 WEST—Eight large rooms, $175 per month; immediate possession.

141ST ST., 605 WEST (Apt. 2B).—Large outside room, nicely arranged; $10.

431-439 CENTRAL PARK WEST.
Best type four-room apartments; real kitchens; rental, $1,100-$1,600 per annum.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 454—2-room studio, with outside sleeping quarters and exclusive use of portion of roof on top of 12-story building; $2,000 per year. See superintendent.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, apartment, eight elegant outside rooms; rent $250 per month. Phone today, Orchard 9770.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 187—Two large, beautiful rooms, bath; open fireplace; service.

TOPPING AV., 1,756—Elegant apartment, 7 rooms and foyer; all improvements; refined neighborhood; $100. Green. Tremont 1381M.

TWO rooms and bath, $40 to $56, including steam heat, electric light. 351 West 14th St., or Van Vleet Place. 16 8th Av.

Two upper floors to let to one tenant in private residence at 148th St. and St. Nicholas Av.; all improvements; rent $150 per month. Telephone 7905 Audubon.

333 WEST END AV.
New apartments in exclusive house; two and three rooms, 22 by 22; open fireplaces, kitchenettes; $1,400 to $2,200; ready.

APARTMENTS WANTED.

Furnished.

Phone immediately Bryant 7993, 343, 2361; responsible tenants waiting for desirable furnished apartments; immediate action; unquestionably best organization. Pierre & Golden, 220 West 42d.

Responsible clients wanting furnished apartments; choice localities; long, short leases, 4-12 rooms; $150-$1,000 monthly. Clark Realty, 347 Madison Av., Vanderbilt 1450.

Wanted—2 or 3 rooms, kitchenette or restaurant service; Garmercy Park or Washington Square sections; responsible. S 753 Times Downtown.

Young couple wish to rent small apartment 2 rooms and kitchen, $60-$65 monthly; no children. S. Lapman, 502 West 136th.

By middle-aged couple, furnished apartment, one room, bath, and kitchenette, near subway; references exchanged. E 33 Times.

Adult family want five to seven rooms, nicely furnished apartment; good location; references given. O 387 Times.

Furnished Apartment Wanted—Five bedrooms, parlor, dining room, kitchen, two baths, and two maids' rooms. E 66 Times.

Three rooms, bath, kitchenette, between 50th and 110th Sts.; responsible party; reasonable; state price. L 252 Times.

Couple want 3-4 room furnished apartment, below 116th, to October, around $150-$175 month. Phone Vanderbilt 1452.

Furnished apartment, 1-2 rooms, kitchenette, bath; price $70-$75; couple; no children; best reference. T 12 Times.

Small apartment, furnished or unfurnished; Gramercy Park section preferred; short or long lease. T. J. Scannell, 1 West 34th St.

AN EXCLUSIVE CLIENTELE
for high-class furnished apartments. Mrs. Dingleman, 129 West 72d St. Columbus 836.

Will buy for cash lease and furniture of furnished apartment, good location. Write full particulars. O 385 Times.

Couple want furnished apartment, two to four rooms; references. O 386 Times.

I CAN rent your apartment; list now. E. K. Van Winkle, 156 West 72d St. Col. 1077.

Unfurnished.

Refined couple want 2 or 3-room apartment, city or suburbs; limit $75; references. V 468 Times Downtown.

Small apartment or house accessible Union Square; permanent; quiet couple; conveniences. R. I. Case, 130 East 15th St.

Ten or 12-room apartment or a private house desired at once in a first-class location. Address A. Churchler, 51 Chambers St., Suite 612. Phone Worth 8660.

Three, four rooms, improvements, below 59th St. Particulars, Mrs. Devereaux, Watkins 7488.

Three to five rooms, adults, moderate rental. Mrs. Hall, Madison Square 8827.

Two or three rooms, bath and kitchenette, up to $45; Harlem preferred. A 1068 Times Harlem.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

East Side.

25TH ST. (N. E. cor. Lexington Av.)—Hotel Belmore; exceptionally nice rooms; $7 up.

30TH (cor. Lexington Av., 163)—Exclusively for women; $10 weekly and up; room with use of bath, $12 weekly up; room with private bath, $16 weekly up; cozy, sunny, comfortable; telephone. Hotel Rutledge.

41ST, 4 EAST—Small room, suitable for business man; convenient, bath; $10 week.

44TH ST. (Madison Av.)—Double room, with or without kitchen privileges, free gas, electricity; hot water. Vanderbilt 5925.

93D, 56 EAST—One attractive room, bath, private home. Lenox 137.

97TH, 17 EAST—Couple having large elevator apartment wants to rent two rooms, adjoining bath and kitchen; $17 per week. Telephone Lenox 6219.

West Side.

10TH, 142 WEST—Suite two large, light rooms, bath, kitchen. Callahan.

22D, 350 WEST—Beautiful 2-room suite; heated; $20; select; references.

50TH, 226 WEST — Exceptional; elevator, electricity, running water; 7th floor. Circle 6411.

71ST, 62 WEST—A large, beautifully furnished room, private bath, shower, lavatory, electricity, kitchenette privilege, complete housekeeping.

152 WEST 73D STREET.
Newly furnished and redecorated, exceptionally large rooms; high ceilings, hardwood floors; Oriental rugs; private baths, for bachelors; will appeal to those who usually room at best hotels.

73D ST., WEST—Handsomely furnished, large front room, with bath, $25 per week; single room, near bath, $10; private residence; elevator. Telephone Columbus 658.

73D, 164 WEST—Attractive rooms, quiet house; all conveniences; select location; gentlemen.

74TH, 45 WEST—A double room adjoining bath; $10.

75TH, 26 WEST—Handsomely furnished, private bath, dressing room, one or two gentlemen; no other roomers.

75TH, 104 WEST—Double room, twin beds, private bath; references.

77TH, 170 WEST—Large room, dressing room, running water, near bath; southern.

80TH, 144 WEST—Large room, private bath, continuous hot water, electricity.

82D, 33 WEST—Large room, suitable two, $10; small, $6; phone; references.

84TH, 305 WEST—Large beautifully furnished room, private bath, shower, lavatory, electricity, kitchenette privilege, complete housekeeping.

84TH, 18 WEST—Single room, top floor; $6; bath same floor.

103D, 302 WEST—Large, sunny room, nicely furnished, private lavatory, bath, electricity.

103D, 242 WEST—Floor private house, suitable three people; ideal location.

109TH, 229 WEST—Attractive, sitting and bedroom, adjoining bath; elevator apartment. Fettretch.

116TH ST., (Lenox Av.)—Large room, bath, attractively furnished, elevator; $10. Harlem 9692.

BROADWAY, 1,730, (55th St.)—Two delightful rooms, furnished; private bath; references. Gibbs.

Refined girl to share room in refined Jewish boarding house, West 70th St. X 54 Times Annex.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 223 (94th)—Desirable rooms, high-class apartment; gentleman preferred. Smith.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 202—Exquisitely furnished room; private bath; no other roomers. Stanhope.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 223 (94th)—Large light room, adjacent bath; $15 weekly. Wentworth.

WEST END AV., 265—Large front room with private bath.

WEST END AV., 344—Select house, double rooms, private bath, steam, electricity.

ROOMS WANTED.

Furnished.

Young professional man, single, desires comfortable home, cultured surroundings; electricity essential; board optional; city or suburbs, not over 30 minutes from City Hall; write full particulars. T 6 Times.

Wanted by Japanese business man a nicely furnished room, no other roomers, southern exposure; between 90th and 140th, near Broadway; breakfast preferred. C. O., Room 308, 165 Broadway.

Englishman wants room between 50th and 100th Streets, preferably Riverside Drive; English or French family preferred. P 52 Times.

Two sisters, (Christians), desire moderate-priced double room; use of bath; Manhattan; private family preferred. L 303 Times.

Young gentleman desires rooming accomodations; reasonable; near Times Square. D 279 Times.

BOARDERS WANTED.

East Side.

30TH (Corner Lexington Av., 163)—Rooms, with meals, $17 weekly up; good home cooking; hotel service; elevator, telephone; for women exclusively. Hotel Rutledge.

MADISON AV., 213 (36th)—Newly furnished parlor floor and double room; excellent table; references required.

West Side.

72D, 269 WEST—Large front basement, with bath; excellent table.

72D, 159 WEST—Large room for one or two gentlemen; board; references.

72D, 245 WEST—Beautiful large, sunny room; single or en suite, with board; all modern conveniences.

79TH, 114 WEST—Wide parked street; unusual and attractive; large parlors, tea-room, and lounge; steam heat.

82D, 124 WEST (Graycourt) — Attractive, modern; steam heat; references; table guests.

102D, 305 WEST—One, two rooms; private Christian American family; owner's residence.

103D, 239 WEST—Double room for two, with meals, $30; elevator apartment.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 46 (The Graymore)—Room with bath; excellent table. Telephone Schuyler 4306.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 549—Large room; gas logs; steam heat, running water; excellent board; two, $35; single, $18. Payne.

THE EVELYN LODGE,
Charmingly Attractive Winter Residence,
20 Min. Downtown Manhattan.
Elegantly Furnished; Excellent Cuisine;
Parlors, Comforts, Cleanliness.
Weekly $18 Up; Capacity 75; Booklet.
11 Years Under One Management.
71 Central Av., St. George, S. I.

BOARD WANTED.

Young lady of education and refinement, taking a course of instruction, wants room and board in family of like character. Write C. W., 2,387 Broadway.

COUNTRY BOARD

New Jersey.

LYNWOOD LODGE, ENGLEWOOD, N. J. NERVOUS AND MENTAL CONDITIONS.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Female.

ACCOUNTANT—Books opened closed, balanced, audited, disentangled, posted for firms without bookkeepers. Edna Brown, Pennsylvania 6887.

BOOKKEEPER, thoroughly experienced control accounts; render statements; correspondent, typist; full charge; best of references; salary $30. A. F., 320 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, controlling accounts, trial balancers; several years 'experience; rapid figurer, ambitious, and trustworthy. V 461 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, beginner; knowledge of stenography and typewriting; ambitious; not afraid of work. Levy, 388 Sackman St., Brooklyn.

BOOKKEEPER, part time; write up books, daily or weekly; trial balances; reasonable. Box 654 Times, 2 Rector St.

BOOKKEEPER-STENOGRAPHER, experienced, controlling accounts, capable taking full charge. L 300 Times.

BOOKKEEPER'S ASSISTANT, general office work, stenography; experienced; $30. X 53 Times Annex.

COMPANION to lady; refined widow; will make herself useful; no menial work; speaks Spanish and English; no objection traveling; good references. Mrs. Rubio, 395 Manhattan Av.

COMPANION TO LADY—Refined single woman desires position; no objection to traveling. D 275 Times.

HOUSEKEEPER—Japanese widow with two grown children wishes position with private family who appreciate good work; good reference. P 60 Times.

INTERIOR DECORATOR.
Experienced young lady with original ideas will assist decorator, whole or part time. L 295 Times.

LADY of highest social position will consider proposal to act as social adviser to woman of means appreciating introduction to society; exceptional privilege; immediate appointment, by mail only; confidential; irrefutable reference. Correspondent, 15 E. 90th.

NURSE, graduate R. N.; references; prefers invalid; $30 weekly. Phone Riverside 5884.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER, six years' experience; competent; possesses initiative; can take responsibility; rapid dictation; $30. S 613 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, 4 years' experience, desires position; $20; references. L 791 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, 5 years' extensive experience as correspondent; rapid; $28. L 287 Times.

STENOGRAPHER and typist, knowledge of bookkeeping, beginner; $12 to start. J. B., 115 East Houston St. Orchard 8276.

STENOGRAPHER — Two years' experience; transportation line; reliable; $20. V 482 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER — Secretarial worker; rapid; 4 years' experience; $22. V 481 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER—Competent, experienced; best references; state salary. R. S., 2,847 8th Av.

STENOGRAPHER, 3 years' experience; capable; references; $20. S 739 Times Downtown.

TELEPHONE OPERATOR, high-grade Christian woman, broad experience, seeks substitute position with well-established brokerage house. Bryant 2863.

Employment Agencies.

BERTHA CARLSON, Swedish Agency—First-class servants. 2,415 Broadway, corner 89th.

COLORED HELP—City, country; references. Hope Agency, 432 Lenox Av. Harlem 5049.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANT — Books opened, closed, audited, tax reports. Arrangements firms without bookkeepers, $2.50 weekly; corporations organized. Goldwater, 132 Nassau. Telephone Beekman 7300.

ACCOUNTANT—Young man, 26, C. C. N. Y. senior, 6½ years' experience, possesses good judgment, initiative, and ability, desires position as junior with C. P. A. T 14 Times.

ACCOUNTANTS, certified, will audit your books and close them for the year; Federal and State income tax reports.
COMMERCIAL CERTIFIED ACCOUNTING CO., 347 5TH AV. MURRAY HILL 9070.

ACCOUNTANT, tax specialist; tax returns, $10 upward; books opened, closed, supervised, conforming with Government regulations; established 1909; high-grade service. Friedlander, 154 Nassau. Beekman 998.

ACCOUNTANT, expert; books systematized, audited, opened; tax specialist, financial statements; arrangements firms without bookkeepers; reasonable. Greene, 12 West 27th. Telephone Chelsea 3954.

ACCOUNTANT—Books opened, closed, systematized, corporations, arrangements, firms without bookkeepers; tax specialist. U. S. Audit, 309 Broadway. Worth 2222.

ACCOUNTANT—Books opened, closed, and audited; tax returns a specialty; arrangements firms without bookkeepers. Berg, 74 Broadway. Rector 1103.

ACCOUNTANCY STUDENT, experienced bookkeeper, desires position accounting firm; good references. 655 Times, 2 Rector St.

ACCOUNTANT-AUDITOR, 15 years' practical experience; systematize, instruct, supervise, take full charge; salary $50; references. L 183 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, certified; audits, systems, periodical bookkeeping, personal services. Willcox, 488 St. Nicholas Av. Morningside 8375.

ACCOUNTANT, expert; books opened, systematized, audited; tax reports; arrangements firms with or without bookkeepers. L 189 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, executive ability, experienced, seeks responsible position. Ahronson, 849 West 178th St.

ACCOUNTANT seeks engagement three days per week; experienced; university graduate. S 759 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, experienced, desires connection with established concern; permanent. L 790 Times Downtown.

ADVERTISING—Young man, 25, college graduate, ex-service; artistic, literary talent, seeks opening advertising work where ability will offset inexperience. X 50 Times Annex.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER—Knowledge of typewriting; accountancy student; references. D 274 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, ACCOUNTANT, 29, Christian, 11 years' experience, financial statements, capable taking complete charge; permanent connection. D 207 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, assistant, 21, experienced, competent, desires good position. Goldman, 59 2d Av.

BOOKKEEPER, thoroughly experienced modern accounting methods, cost systems; references; $35. Morningside 2099.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, Swedish, sixteen years' experience, nine years in one place, expert on all cars, absolutely responsible, careful driver, wishes position with private family; can also handle motor boat; highest class reference. Lickstrom, 642 Amsterdam Av.

CHAUFFEUR, thoroughly experienced, exceptionally good mechanic; highest recommendations; careful, intelligent driver; pleasing personality; reasonable salary. T. B., 66 Times.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic (27), wishes position, private family, city or country; seven years' experience; best references. Edward Bick, 163 West 132d St. Tel. 7770 Morningside.

CHAUFFEUR wishes private position; 9 years' experience; drive any make, Cadillac preferred. Box 25, 3,013 3d Av., Bronx.

CHEF, Japanese, excellent cook, wishes position private family, or care of bachelor apartment; best references. L 292 Times.

COMPANION (30) to gentleman; well educated, refined, diplomatic; references. L 298 Times.

DENTAL MECHANIC, experienced in all kinds of work, desires position. J 97 Times.

DRAFTSMEN, three, mechanical, electrical, structural, experienced design, layout men, will take limited amount of work at home evenings; rates reasonable. L 779 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMAN—Mechanical engineer; power plants and oil mills. L 774 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMAN, 28, mechanical, 5 years' experience; technical man. T 19 Times.

EXECUTIVE, YOUNG MAN, 24, good education and appearance, at present engaged in this capacity, desires connection with progressive concern where opportunity is offered; highest credentials. T 18 Times.

EXPORT—Bookkeeper, stenographer, 22, familiar with office details, desires position with export or import concern. D 280 Times.

GARDENER, superintendent, wide experience in England, America, greenhouses, landscape, farming, forestry, &c.; middle-aged Englishman, married; systematic organizer of help; temperate, trustworthy. N 808 Times Annex.

HOTEL CLERK—Position as day or night clerk by man of experience; refers by permission to present employer; available Jan. 1. C. A., West Point Hotel, West Point, N. Y.

MANAGER, advertising, specially qualified in electrical field; technical and practical experience; age 30 years. T 29 Times.

MASSEUR, licensed, Nicholson; gentleman's residence. For appointment telephone 6 to 9 P. M., Morningside 9046.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

MECHANIC'S HELPER, experienced, desires position in auto repair shop. T 282 Times.

OFFICE MANAGER, bookkeeper, salesman, 30, 12 years' business experience; best references; salary open. Hillier, 1,410 Dean St., Brooklyn.

PLUMBER, steamfitter, expert mechanic, wishes work. Kailer, 407 W. 59th St.

PROOFREEDER—Copy editing or department position; experienced and systematic. L 273 Times.

PUBLICITY WRITER, PRESS AGENT.
Can furnish A1 references and I am willing to prove my ability by copy writing tryout for a day or two in your office; willing to go on the road. J 94 Times.

PURCHASING AGENT.
Competent buyer and executive; oil refinery and general manufacturing connections; broad kowledge mechanical equipment and supplies; printing, stationery; 12 years' experience; age 30. S 331 Times.

REPRESENTATIVE—Man wishes position on important matters of business or to act as special messenger; highest references and bond furnished. J 95 Times.

SALESMAN, manager, organizer, investigator, age 30, ten years' executive experience, desires confidential or executive position; diplomatic, well educated, refined; exceptional references. L 297 Times.

SALESMAN, with uptown showroom, is open for a line of girls' and juniors' coats of the better grade; city and resident buyers; unless reliable and able to make deliveries do not reply. Box N, 1,214-1,270 Broadway.

SALESMAN, silk dyeing, resident of Paterson, large acquaintance in trade, desires representation Paterson territory for reputable concern; excellent references. S 758 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN or assistant buyer, age 24; excellent credentials; any territory, domestic or foreign. U., 416 Arbuckle Building, Brooklyn.

SALESMAN (25) desires permanent connection; 5 years' experience; salary or commission. T 24 Times.

SALESMAN, experienced, wishes position, inside preferably; best references. Suhre, 1,125 Boston Road.

SHIPPING CLERK, 10 years' experience, wishes position. Guterman, 854 East 169th.

STENOGRAPHER, office assistant, young man, 20, intelligent; good references. Sunset 9707.

STENOGRAPHER, typewriter, experienced; assist office work; references. L 739 Times Downtown.

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YOUNG MAN (20), 3 years' business experience, honest and hard worker, wants position where good, earnest work is recognized; moderate salary. T 32 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 22, high school education, desires clerical position; references. K 32 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 27, executive ability, desires position with future, where ability will merit advancement. V 492 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 30; desires connection mercantile house; outside preferable. L 285 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 27, with knowledge of several languages, last position held as interpreter, wishes position at anything. J 92 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 24, wishes position; chance for advancement. T 9 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 19, wishes position with reliable concern; references. L 294 Times.

HELP WANTED—Female.

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ADDRESSERS.
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BOOKKEEPER wanted for hotel; must have several years' experience as general bookkeeper, keeping full set and being capable of rendering monthly profit-and-loss statements; give full details, length of employment, and salary received in the past; initial salary $125 per month. J 52 Times.

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BOOKKEEPER ASSISTANT — Bright girl wanted; must be neat; state salary; good chance for advancement. P 62 Times.

BOOKKEEPER—Experienced in wholesale house; write age, experience, and salary. P 622 Times Downtown.

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SALESMEN wanted to carry fine line fancy knit goods; give full particulars as to past experience and territory; all communications will be strictly confidential; commission basis. P 21 Times.

SALESMAN to sell "Champblanc" extra dry and "Champrouge"—the successor to Sparkling Burgundy; liberal commission. Call between 4 and 6 P. M. Columbia Beverage Co., 292 5th Av.

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8 INSANE MISSING IN CONNECTICUT FIRE

Patients Are Thought Burned When Blaze Destroys Building of Middletown Institution.

OTHERS HELP WITH BUCKETS

"Trusties" Remain Free from Panic and Help in Saving Goods—Loss is $25,000.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Dec. 23.—Eight patients of the Connecticut Hospital for the Insane in this place are believed to have been burned to death tonight in a fire which completely destroyed one of the frame buildings of the hospital group, a mile east of the main building.

There were fifty-three patients in the building, and at midnight only forty-five had been accounted for.

The building in which the fire occurred was known as "the farm" and those housed therein were so-called "trusties," or the milder type of insane patients. They were all men, and instead of joining in a panic when the flames were discovered turned to and assisted the bucket brigade in rescuing their own clothing and some furniture. The missing patients are believed to have been burned to death when the interior of the building collapsed.

They are Nicholas Venuck, 28, from Hartford; William Carroll, 39, Waterbury; Philo Pritchard, 63, Warren; Richard O'Brien, 61, Stamford; Max Soracka, 52, Hartford; Edward Poelle, 68, Wallingford; Clinton S. Lord, 49, Windsor, and Charles Machelelidt, 55, New Haven.

There was only one attendant in the place when the fire broke out. The two other attendants, who lived in the building, a man and his wife, were in the city doing Christmas shopping.

It was at first reported that there were eleven missing, but one patient, an aged man, walked from the scene to the main hospital and two others were found in a nearby house, none the worse for their experience.

There are three farmhouses attached to the Connecticut Insane Hospital, each a considerable distance from the main building, and the only protection from fire is a bucket brigade.

The burned structure was of three stories and was valued at about $25,000.

CHILDREN IGNORE FLAMES.

Christmas Toys Make Them Oblivious to Threatening Blaze.

Flames from a burning machine shop in the rear of the home of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, at 105 Schermerhorn Street, Brooklyn, yesterday, threatened that building, and for a time it was thought the sixty-five child inmates would have to be removed.

Backfire from an automobile in the shop of Joseph Zinkand, at 27 Boerum Place, started the blaze. The flames shot up the elevator shaft and spread out on the third floor. The children had received Christmas gifts Monday and were at play with these when the fire started. The attendants prepared for an emergency, but the children for the most part kept on playing. The damage was estimated at $2,000.

The Yangco twins, 11 years old, from the Philippines, who are joined together and one of whom walks forward, while the other walks backward, attended the children's Christmas party. They were accompanied by their guardian, Tedoro Yangco, Congressional Delegate from the Philippines. The twins were born in Manila. Their names originally were Lucio and Simplico Godeno. Their father still lives there. They were taken from a museum at Coney Island in the Summer of 1918, and after considerable litigation were given to Yangco by a Manila court. Lucio recently had the influenza, and Simplico, although not ill, had to remain in bed with him.

LOST AND FOUND.

Fifty cents an agate line.

LOST—Lady's diamond horseshoe pin, set in platinum, between Vanderbilt Hotel, 5th Av., to Altman's, to 42d St. crosstown car to 42d St. and Broadway, Broadway car to 81st St.; suitable reward. Ethel Allen, 208 West 81st St. Phone 5520 Schuyler.

LOST—Dec. 23, in neighborhood Broadway and 35th St., platinum watch, with monogram and two pear shaped and small diamonds attached to pearl flat sautoir chain. Liberal reward. Wrone & Wrone, 45 East 44th St.

LOST—Schwarz's toy shop or 5th Av., Monday, one silver mesh bag containing railroad ticket, &c. Will pay reward of $50 and no questions asked for return to B. A. Mackinnon, 222 West 39th, New York City.

LOST—Pocketbook, at 78th St. and Broadway, containing some money, Metropolitan Art Museum card, commutation ticket to Brick Church, N. J.; reward. Mr. Street, Room 601, 60 Broadway.

LOST—Black bag, containing large amount of money, keys and bank book, between Penn. Station subway and 215th St. Suitable reward if returned to 96 Fanshaw Av. Phone 2350 Yonkers.

LOST—Monday afternoon, flat link silver bracelet, antique, in hansom or shopping between 47th St. and Washington Square; suitable reward. Return to Mrs. A. Martin, 124 Waverley Place.

LOST—Afternoon, Dec. 22, platinum bar pin, 3 large diamonds, 5th Av., between 34th-45th Sts.; liberal reward. Return to Mrs. J. B. Cotton, 1,000 Park Av. Lenox 2648.

LOST—Melon-shaped muff, Hudson seal, Saturday afternoon; possibly in the subway; reward. Finder communicate with Mrs. Baker, 47 Pierrepont St., Brooklyn. Tel. Main 3006.

LOST—On street or in taxicab, a large bunch of keys. Liberal reward if returned to Miss Petry, Century Theatre, 62d St.-Central Park West.

LOST—Saturday, gold wrist watch, monogram "F. M. W." name Faith M. Williams, inside case; reward to finder. D 283 Times.

LOST—Lady's sealskin belt, with wide ends, resembling a scarf, probably in taxi or street Saturday night; reward. Bassett, 194 West 92d St.

LOST—Wallet containing $45 and photograph, left in drug store corner 114th St. and Broadway. Return to Pedro Hollander, 410 Riverside Drive. Liberal reward.

LOST—Bracelet watch, gold, between Hoyt St. station and 125th St. Broadway subway, 5:20-6:20 P. M., Tuesday; reward. Phone 5271 Morningside.

LOST—$70 going from Boston train to taxi about 4:30 P. M.; reward. Mrs. L. Appleton, 301 West 46th St., Apt. 11.

LOST—Tuesday evening, Gentleman's wallet, containing money, also Masonic and K. of C. card; reward. Phone Audubon 900.

LOST—Drawings, several fashion figures in pencil; 6th Av. "L," Dec. 17 at 4:30 P. M.; reward. Home Pattern Co., 114 5th Av.

LOST—Australian possum muff, on 3d Av. between 84th and 86th Sts.; reward. Friedman, 68 East 84th.

LOST—Dec. 18, ruby diamond stick pin, between Colony Club and Plymouth Theatre; liberal reward. 53 East 75th.

LOST—Kappa Sigma fraternity pin in Pennsylvania Station; reward if returned to L. Dehenor, 485 West 119th St.

LOST—Pearl bead necklace, valued as keepsake; $5 reward return to D. Rosenbaum, 121 West 42d.

LOST—Brown suit case, initials "K. K.," near Riggs Restaurant or Cunard pier; liberal reward. Knight, Madison, Conn.

LOST—In Altman's, duchess lace; reward. 876 Park Av., Apt. 2B.

LOST—Watch. Will person who called Bryant 1990 call again Friday? Meixell.

LOST—Fraternity pin, blue enamel, pearl-bordered; reward. P 53 Times.

$500 REWARD

for brooch, emerald centre, surrounded with small diamonds with an outside row of much larger diamonds; lost Dec. 11, between West 58th St. and the Lyceum Theatre. No questions. Return to Black, Starr & Frost, 5th Av. and 48th St.

LIBERAL REWARD.

Lost Dec. 22, pearl earring, between 120 Broadway and Custom House; return to A. O. Moffat, 899 Park Av., New York.

Furs and Fur Wraps.

LOST—Sunday afternoon in taxi from Biltmore to Plaza Hotel, sable fur neckpiece; liberal reward; return cashier, Biltmore.

LOST—Kolinsky scarf, Rivoli, Dec. 19; reward. Collins, 225 West 14th St. Tel. Chelsea 5402.

Found.

FOUND—Watch fob, Clark, 2d floor, Times [illegible].

TO STOP SECRET BURIALS.

New Rules of Department to Prevent Repetition of Evil.

Through the co-operation of the five public agencies concerned in the disposal of the bodies of persons killed in accidents, action was taken yesterday to prevent after the first of the year any repetition of surreptitious burial, as was the fate of Mrs. Anna Calliess, who was killed by a taxicab, and whose body was buried the next day without the knowledge of her daughter or other relatives. Representatives of these five departments met in the office of Health Commissioner Copeland yesterday afternoon and formulated a group of suggestions which the Commissioner, with the sanction of the Board of Health, will incorporate into regulations.

The Health Commissioner presided over the conference, at which the following were present: J. J. Connell, Chief Clerk of the Public Administrator of New York County; Dr. J. F. Fitzgerald, Medical Superintendent's Office, Department of Charities; Chief Inspector John Daly, representing the Police Commissioner; Dr. Charles Norris, Chief Medical Examiner; George P. Lebrun, Secretary to the Medical Examiner; R. L. Tarbox, representing the Corporation Counsel; M. J. Rickard, Superintendent of the Morgue; Dr. William H. Gulfoy, Registrar of Records in the Health Department, and William Fetherston, Counsel of the Health Department.

The following suggestions will be the basis of the new regulations:

The Public Administrator will issue no order for burial of a body under his charge until seventy-two hours after death.

The Medical Examiner's office will not issue orders for removal of bodies to the Morgue. The Medical Examiner's duty will end when the certificate is issued. In case of necessity for further examination of the body, the Medical Examiner will issue a removal permit, but such permit will not allow the undertaker to embalm the body, prepare it for burial, or to take any further step until the Department of Health issues its certificate.

An affidavit will be required from the undertaker in every case before a body is removed from the Morgue.

If a friend, not a relative, claims the body, he will be referred by the Morgue keeper to the Public Administrator, and the undertaker's affidavit in every such case will not be accepted until it is vised by the Public Administrator.

The Department of Health will require every undertaker in the City of New York to take out a permit.

The Police Department will give immediate notification of identification to the Morgue keeper.

Where there is a question of identity, all hospitals, institutions, and the public are notified to turn over to the Police Department all effects of the deceased and information as to identity. In every such case the Police Department should be given every assistance in acquiring such property and information. All such effects and the information acquired will be turned over to the Public Administrator within twenty-four hours after death.

After stating that several of these changes involved the revision of the Sanitary Code, and therefore would require a meeting of the Board of Health, Dr. Copeland remarked that the Public Administrator is now in charge of 1,800 estates left by persons without friends or relatives.

"The affidavit of the undertaker," said Mr. Copeland, "will be required so that where he makes false representations it will be possible to prosecute him criminally instead of being limited to a civil action."

BUYS COFFIN, ENDS LIFE.

Despondent Widow Kills Herself After Arranging for Burial.

Depressed over the death of her son seven months ago in Mexico, Mrs. Cassie Riepflinger, a widow, committed suicide by gas yesterday in a furnished room at 281 West 132d Street after she had arranged for her own burial. Two other women were accidentally asphyxiated during the day, and last night gas nearly claimed two other victims, both children.

Earle Riepflinger, employed by an American engineering company in Sonora, died in June last. When word of his death reached his mother she gave up all plans for "a home for my boy." She went into a lonesome, top floor rear, furnished room, where the only prospect was a couple of dying trees and the house backs. Mrs. Riepflinger often complained of being "empty-hearted," and the other day she called at the home of Mrs. Rose Waite of 253 West 109th Street, a friend, and borrowed $150.

That afternoon she went to a Seventh Avenue undertaker, and, representing herself as a Mrs. Watson, said that she wanted to pay for the burial of "Mrs. Cassie Riepflinger of 281 West 132d Street, who is about to undergo an operation for appendicitis and who is expected to die." The burial arrangements were completed, and today they will be carried out, for beside her body there was a note—"Please don't take me to the morgue."

In another furnished room, at 212 East Eighty-eighth Street, Miss Anna McGovern, 75 years old, was found dead. Gas was escaping from a gas stove which, the police said, had been accidentally turned on. The flames of a gas heater in the home of Georgette Deleberti at 344 West Twenty-first Street were accidentally blown out during the night and yesterday morning neighbors found the woman dead in bed.

The lives of two children, Nicholas and Josephine Misteretta, were saved by their mother's intuition. Mrs. Carl Misteretta left the home at 1,051 Second Avenue early in the afternoon to help out in her husband's grocery at Second Avenue and Fifty-sixth Street. She told the girl and the boy to follow her before dark. The children had been slightly ill and she told them to take a nap. When she and a policeman went to investigate their failure to appear on time they found both children unconscious in the gas-filled flat. They were revived by a pulmotor.

WILL LET 20-CENT SUGAR IN.

Official Says Price Asked for Cargo from Cuba Is Reasonable.

The United States Sugar Equalization Board decided yesterday to admit the cargo of sugar shipped here to the Czarnikow-Rionda Company from Matanzas, Cuba, and the sugar will be landed at once. Its price to consumers will be in the neighborhood of 20 cents a pound. There is more than 8,000,000 pounds in the cargo.

Announcing the admission of the sugar, an official of the board said yesterday that the authorities had been convinced that the Czarnikow-Rionda Company was not profiteering in the price asked.

"I think the city should be grateful to the consignees of the sugar instead of attacking them," this member said, "the price paid to the Cuban growers for it was 13½ cents a pound, as compared with 6½ cents last year. Other costs bring the price to retailers up to 18 cents, so that the 20 cents represents only a fair profit."

The official said he had been informed that the company had offers for the cargo from at least three foreign countries, but had rejected them to get the sugar to America.

CUMMINGS IN WIFE'S CARE.

Man Pardoned from Sing Sing Leaves Hospital for Home.

James Cummings, who was pardoned last week by Governor Smith because of illness thought to be fatal, is being nursed "somewhere in Brooklyn" by his wife. His mother and other relatives are within call. Cummings, who is 27 years old, was taken from Sing Sing to Bellevue Hospital, where he was given medical and nursing attention, but became restless and persuaded the authorities to permit him to leave the institution.

Under an assumed name, he is now being taken care of by his wife, who hopes that the complication of diseases from which he is suffering will not prove fatal. He was sentenced to serve five years in Sing Sing after having been convicted last June of assault.

SUES TO MAKE CITY STOP RUNNING BUSES

Brooklyn City Railroad Company Alleges That Operation of Lines Is Illegal.

LOSING NEARLY $3,500 A DAY

George F. Daggett of Public Service Commission Condemns Buses as Abuse of Streets.

Suit against the city to compel it to cease operating buses in competition with the city car lines was begun yesterday by the Brooklyn City Railroad Company. Notice was served upon Grover A. Whalen, as Commissioner of Plant and Structures and individually, notice that application would be made to the Supreme Court in Brooklyn on Jan. 12 for a temporary injunction restraining him from operating the bus lines.

While the suit, which is based upon the ground that the running of buses is illegal, is brought to restrain the operation of them on Flatbush, Graham, Greenpoint and Third Avenues, and crosstown, thus paralleling the lines of the company, the result will affect the entire bus service.

It is alleged by the company that the defendant failed to obtain from the Public Service Commission the necessary certificate of convenience and necessity, that the permit from the Board of Estimate was not properly obtained, and that under the law no public conveyance may be operated without public hearings showing that it is necessary. Among other objections set forth in the company's complaint are that the Board of Estimate failed to make proper inquiry as to the financial value of the privilege conferred upon the bus owners, that the privilege was granted without any attempt being made to prove that the public needed the service, and that no copy of any contract between the defendant and the bus operators was ever published. It is also alleged that Mayor Hylan did not give the bus service any separate approval.

Altogether about one hundred buses are operating in Brooklyn and it is said that their earning capacity ranges between thirty and thirty-five dollars a day for each bus. It is estimated that the company, because of the alleged illegal service, is losing between $3,000 and $3,500 a day.

George F. Daggett, chief of the traffic bureau of the Public Service Commission testified yesterday in the hearing on complaints against the bus service on Eighth Avenue, Brooklyn, that the service on this avenue between Flatbush Avenue and Borough Hall was not only unwarranted but that it was an outrageous abuse of streets already overloaded with surface car lines and general traffic. He also stated that the public was well served without the buses.

Corporation Counsel Burr objected to extending the inquiry to all of the bus lines and Mr. Farley replied that his purpose was to show that no emergency existed calling for any of them.

Mr. Daggett said that he believed that adding buses to the normal traffic on Fulton Street caused an unwarranted burden to the traffic on that thoroughfare. The hearing will be continued at 10:30 o'clock next Tuesday.

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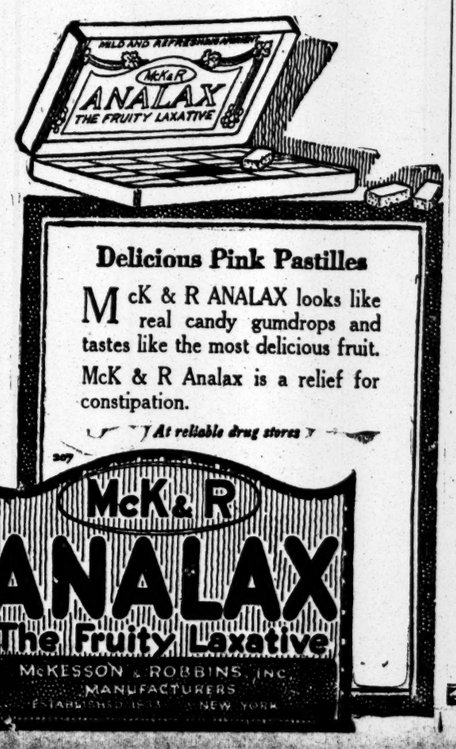
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